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The Big News
Estimated That Dead In Floods May Not Be More Than 300

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Summary Of Flood Situation

Waters receding in all flood districts of Ohio and Indiana.

Rescue parties report a general reduction in previous death estimates.

Piqua and Peru, the two smaller towns in Ohio and Indiana respectively, where the greatest loss of life had been reported give new death estimates well below fifty persons.

Dayton conditions improving; fire extinguished; marooned thousands rescued by militia and life savers in boats; deaths now estimated at two hundred to five hundred.

New peril in Ohio river valley, where rising of water threatens Wheeling, Cincinnati, Evansville, Ind., and Cairo, Ill., with worst floods in years.

Dayton and Columbus under martial law; no sightseers allowed to alight from the few trains that have entered the Dayton district; railroad in charge of militiary by order of Governor Cox.

Train loads of supplies getting into Dayton.

A number of cases of pneumonia developed by women and children survivors at Dayton leads to fear of a general epidemic from exposure; breaking of all sewer mains threatens epidemic of typhoid; government sanitary engineers taking every preventive measure possible.

New York's money contributions to the relief fund amounted to $109,852 so far; Chicago, $108,496.

Hamilton, Ohio, where thirteen were reported dead before wire communication was established, estimates the dead from 100 to 500.

FLOOD SURVIVOR REACHES LA CROSSE

Miss Antoinette Pretasky Nearly Drowned in the Flood at Dayton, Ohio

LEFT DAYTON ON THE LAST TRAIN

Water Swirling About the Car Wheels when Last Passenger Pulls Out of Depot

Barely escaping with her life on the last train that left Dayton, Ohio, before the disastrous flood that cost hundreds of lives, Miss Antoinette Pretasky, daughter of Frank Pretasky of 632 Kane street, and sister-in-law to Sheriff John Webber, reached home today with a story of adventure that is thrilling in the extreme.

Miss Pretasky was working in that part of Dayton that suffered the heaviest and hearing of the approach of the wall of water she determined to make an attempt to escape before it was too late. She hastened to the depot but was caught in the swirling waters before she reached the station. She was rescued and managed to reach the train just as it was pulling out. The water was angrily lapping the wheels of the cars when the train slowly pulled out of the stricken city. It was forced to cross shaking bridges and more than once plow through swollen floods that crossed the tracks. Many times the train was forced to wait while men patrolled the track searching with their feet for washouts.

The train was the last to leave Dayton. Miss Pretasky was close to nervous breakdown when she reached the home of her parents today because of the fright and strain she suffered in the long ride through the danger zone.

$250,000 FIRE.

ABERDEEN, S. D., March 28.—Fire this morning destroyed the south side of the business section of Warner, S. D., causing a loss of $250,000. The fire started in R. J. Rogers' livery barn, rapidly spreading on both sides.

WEATHER

Temperatures for La Crosse during past 24 hours:
High, 32.
Low, 24.
Precipitation, 0.

Forecast for La Crosse and vicinity: Fair tonight and probably Saturday; warmer.

Wisconsin: Cloudy tonight and Saturday with rising temperature.

Minnesota: Cloudy with probably local rain or snow tonight or Saturday; warmer tonight.

Iowa: Cloudy tonight and Saturday with rising temperature.

The high pressure area is central this morning in the Ohio valley and freezing temperatures are recorded in the central middle and north Atlantic states and heavy to killing frosts are reported as far south as Montgomery and Shreveport. The weather has become generally clear over the flooded district and Atlantic states. It is generally cloudy in the northern states west of the lake region and rain is falling in the north Pacific states. The northwestern low has spread southeastward over Montana and the Dakotas and the temperature has risen throughout the plains states, upper Mississippi valley and upper lake region.

The easterly movement of the low will cause higher temperature in this section tonight and Saturday with fair weather tonight and probably Saturday.

River	Flood Stage.	Height.	24-Hr. Change.
St. Paul	14	0.5	—0.1
La Crosse	12	6.4	-|-0.1
Dubuque	18	11.0	—0.6

LA CROSSE FLOOD FUND GROWS BIG

List of Contributors Increases Rapidly with Several Large Amounts Swelling Total

BANKERS ON FUND COMMITTEE

Mayor Names Prominent Men in Financial Circles to Take Charge of Donations

The list of contributors to the flood relief fund to be gathered in La Crosse grew rapidly yesterday afternoon and today. There were several large contributions, including $100 from the William Doerflinger company and $100 from the Colman Lumber company. F. J. McWilliams, manager of the La Crosse theater, took $75.48 to Comptroller William J. Fries this morning, the proceeds of the benefit performances at his house yesterday.

Relief Committee Named

Mayor John Dengler today appointed the following committee to receive donations:

E. M. Wing, vice president Batavian National bank.

Fred H. Hankerson, cashier National Bank of La Crosse.

J. M. Holley, Jr., cashier State Bank of La Crosse.

J. A. Thwing, cashier Security Savings bank.

Robt. B. Lowry, cashier Exchange State bank.

"Bankers were selected for the convenience of the public," said Mayor Dengler today. "Each of the banks is now, through its committee member, authorized to receive contributions. The committee appreciates the generosity that has already been shown by La Crosse people and hopes that others will be able to help. No donation is too small to be received, for the accumulation of small sums will swell the relief fund in a substantial way."

W. V. William, local agent for the Adams Express company, announced today that he had been authorized to transmit money or supplies free of charge for the relief of flood or tornado sufferers in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois or Nebraska. The company will accept relief supplies or money from authorized relief committees and transmit them to the authorities in charge of the work on the scenes of the disaster.

The Casino theater's benefit performance yesterday netted $22.15, which was turned into the fund this morning.

The Fund to Date

The list to date is as follows:

Edward Evans	$25.00
Harry Spence	1.00
H. G. Wohlhuter	2.00
Geo. O'Keefe	5.00
John C. Burns	25.00
C. G. Peterson	3.00
Mrs. C. M. Pfeiffer	5.00
Chas. Beyschlag	25.00
Freas & Dumke	10.00
Chas. R. Benton	1.00
Otto Mueller	5.00
J. M. Furstman, M. D.	5.00
C. L. Colman Lumber Co.	100.00
Leonard Frey	5.00
C. F. Callaway	5.00
Tenneson-Pederson Coal Co.	5.00
R. W. Keyes	5.00
Wm. Doerflinger Co.	100.00
C. A. Hunt	2.00
A Sympathizer	1.00
Employees Modern Steam Ldry	3.60
C. F. Lang	1.00
Nor. Luth. Ladies' Aid Society	30.00
Geo. L. Zeisler	20.00
Frank G. Roth	5.00
N. Haerter	1.00
Co. M, 3rd Inf., W. N. G.	15.00
The Casino	22.15
F. J. McWilliams, picture show	75.48
Wm. Luening	3.00
Rev. G. Sluyter	10.00
Rev. Ph. Franke	5.00
E. H. Luening	1.00
Lyric Theater Co.	15.00
A. Chubb	5.00
Joseph Miller	5.00
Vollmar & Jost	5.00
Bijou Theater Co.	15.00
Arthur E. Witting	.25

WHO'LL BE WHO IF SORENSEN WINS?

Political Gossip Makes Bacheller or Hall Chief and Kohn New Police Commissioner

"NOT FOR ME!" SAYS BACHELLOR

Sorensen's Manager Wouldn't Be Chief on a Bet; Many Puzzle as to "Where Ori Is At"

HANDS WEBBER THE OLIVE BRANCH

Don't Want Mercy but Wants It Understood that He Has No Axe for the Present Chief

Ori J. Sorensen, candidate for mayor, today issued a statement in which, in answer to The Tribune's question, he said he would not reopen the red light district. The statement is signed by Mr. Sorensen and authorized by his campaign manager, Norris C. Bacheller. It is as follows:

"It has been charged that if elected mayor I would order the so-called red light district re-opened. In this regard let me say that I expect to obey the statutes of Wisconsin in this respect as in every other, and no order of that kind will be issued."

Opinions Differ

When it became known that Mr. Sorensen had made this statement there was a clamor of protest among those of his supporters who want the district opened. They resent this as failure to make good to them. On the other hand those opposed to the segregated district declare Mr. Sorensen's statement side-steps the issue in that he merely says he will not personally open the district, but fails to say he will not permit it to be opened.

Banking on Sorensen's election, it is said, old denizens of the red light district are making hasty plans to reoccupy it. It was rumored today that Frankie LaSalle is in Winona making arrangements for furniture, and that others of the profession are getting ready for business. To what extent Mr. Sorensen's announcement will interfere with their arrangements could not be learned.

Extends Olive Branch

When it became known that George Hall, who runs the Jefferson Buffet and is a strong supporter of Sorensen, had visited Chief Webber and spent over an hour with him, the story that he had been asked to carry an olive branch for Mr. Sorensen took on color. Conviction became still stronger when it was learned that Mr. Sorensen had said to at least one prominent citizen whom he knew to be intimate with the chief that he would not seek to remove Webber.

Chief Webber admitted today that Hall had come to him with assurances of Sorensen's friendship. During the interview Mr. Hall said to a Tribune reporter that it is true he had a talk with Chief of Police John Webber in regard to Mr. Sorensen's attitude toward Mr. Webber. He said that he had gone to see Chief Webber at Mr. Sorensen's suggestion.

"I prefaced my remarks to Mr. Webber," said Mr. Hall, "with the plain statement that the Sorensen supporters were asking no quarter from him or his friends. They merely wanted to clear up certain rumors which have been freely circulated about the city. I told him that Mr. Sorensen bore no ill feeling toward him and had never made the statement that 'if elected mayor he would cut off Chief Webber's official head.'"

Kohn But Not "Bach"

Mr. Sorensen emphatically denies the statement which has been made in the form of gossip to the effect that he would try to make Detective Joe McGrath chief of police.

A story that created considerable talk was to the effect that if elected Mr. Sorensen would appoint Alderman Frank Kohn, of the Second ward, to membership on the fire and police commission, and would favor Norris Bacheller, his campaign manager, as chief of police. The story was that this had been decided upon

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CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR PLANS A BUSY DAY

The Christian Endeavor of the Western Wisconsin district will hold its first session tonight at 7:30 at the First Presbyterian church. The program provides devotional services at 7:30, a song service at 8:15, followed at 8:30 by an address by Rev. Harding R. Hogan of Sparta. At 9 o'clock the meeting will become informal and a social hour will be enjoyed.

The Saturday morning service, at 8:30, will be addressed by S. A. Boyd of the La Crosse Y. M. C. A. There will be a workers' conference at 9 o'clock and after an intermission at 10 o'clock the business session will open at 10:15. Various other features are scheduled to complete a busy day.

The meeting is inter-denominational, and the public is invited.

DEATH ESTIMATES SHRINK AS THE RELIEF EXPEDITIONS GET INTO FLOOD STRICKEN COMMUNITIES IN OHIO AND INDIANA TODAY

Water Rapidly Receding and Organized Relief Work Takes Care of All Survivors—Situation at Dayton, Columbus and Peru is Much Improved

DEATH OF HUNDRED IS REPORTED FROM HAMILTON, OHIO

HUNDRED MILLION IS PROPERTY LOSS

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Coroner Louis C. Benkert, at one o'clock estimated the dead in Columbus at 200. Fifty bodies of flood victims were in Columbus morgues at 1:45 p. m. Of these less than half had been identified.

Streets were thronged all day with those looking up lost relatives. They fought to get back to the west side to search for the missing loved ones. But the soldiers restrained most of them.

Others who had gained the East side only this morning were almost frenzied when the police prevented them from returning with food which they wanted to carry to their families, still entrapped.

A dispatch from Troy says the dead there will number about 125. Dead bodies can be seen in the tree tops, where the refugees died from cold, and lack of food. Many dead bodies may be seen in the bushes, but it is impossible to recover them, owing to the high water. The known dead, whose bodies have been recovered number 26.

The towns of Roswell and Shawnee have been entirely destroyed. The number of the dead is not known.

The known dead at Troy are: Reuben Jones, 30; wife and three year old daughter; Mrs. Aaron Mock and child; — Jones, female aged about 60; George Van Tyle, wife and three children; — Stony, six months old girl; Mrs. Martha Pierson, 70; Henry Van Tyle, 75; man and wife and two children, unidentified; five unidentified negroes; unidentified tramp.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Tens of thousands were missing and hundreds were undoubtedly dead today, as the flood waters, which have swept the Miami river, Scioto and Muskingum river valleys began to subside.

The property loss was estimated at $10,000,000 at the lowest.

With the rescue work barely begun in Columbus, twenty bodies have been recovered this morning and fifty other bodies were located by rescuers who said they actually witnessed the fatalities. The number of recovered bodies was growing hourly.

Greater Than Frisco Loss

Basing his estimates on possible knowledge of the situation in Columbus and Dayton, as well as in Delaware, Piqua, Troy, Sidney and other flood stricken cities, Governor Cox declared today that the loss of life and property in the Ohio floods exceeded that of San Francisco by the earthquake.

Columbus was thronged today by frantic men who had reached the city by way of the Big Four from Cleve-

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REFUGEES RELATE THRILLING TALES

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 28.—Generally improved conditions characterized the entire flood situation in the Ohio-Indiana district today.

Receding waters and a cessation of the torrential rains of the past few days made the work of rescue and reclamation possible. Where this work progresses great reductions in the list of casualties resulted.

Conservative estimates of the total number of dead in Ohio places the figure as low as 500 for the entire state.

Equally conservative figures obtained at Indianapolis, places Indiana's total death list at as low as one hundred.

Suffering Over

In practically all the stricken territories in both Ohio and Indiana, danger of actual suffering from want of food has been eliminated. The most crying danger today is that resulting from exposure of the flood's victims and the danger resulting from pestilence in the larger cities.

Throughout both Ohio and Indiana, cold, clear weather predominates. In the northern and central portions of both states further danger from the flood has passed, but the situation is more critical on the southern boundary line of both states where the Ohio is now a raging torrent, sweeping entirely wide of its usual bounds.

In Dayton the flood condition is rapidly bettering and the work of rescue is being rapidly and systematically carried out, under the guidance of the military and volunteer forces. The great need there is for clothing and blankets.

Columbus Situation Better

In Columbus, where unauthorized sources had issued hysterical statements of fatalities, investigation has shown greatly redced figures. The situation there under the personal direction of Governor Cox is rapidly righting itself, though complete commercial paralysis will of course continue for many days.

Throughout the state railroad and wire lines have been completely demoralized. Practically no trains are moving save to carry supplies, and rescue parties to the stricken district. Practically no telegraph or telephone lines are in operation, save for the transmission of press dispatches and orders to rescue parties.

Indiana Well Off

In Indiana a very similar situation prevails. Indianapolis has suffered less seriously than Columbus and the machinery of the state government has been less impeded. As a result scarcely any of the stricken districts are without aid today, and by nightfall it is figured every refugee will have been housed and fed.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, March 28.—The curtain of mystery that has enshrouded the flood stricken district of Ohio for more than forty-eight

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PERU RELIEVED AND DEATH LIST DROPS

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 28.—A careful search of houses today in a large part of the previously flooded west side failed to uncover a single fatality, effectively putting an end to rumors of large loss of life. The White river this afternoon was within a few hundred feet of resuming its own banks.

PERU, Ind., March 28.—(Direct to Indianapolis.)—Acute physical suffering was ended in this flooded city today. Relief trains from Rochester, Warsaw, Wabash, South Bend and several other cities have come close enough to forward their cargoes by boat to the refugees on court house square and no one was hungry or thirsty today.

Boats of all kinds—the surf boats, which arrived from Chicago and Michigan City, the local rowboats and canoes—left at dawn to search for bodies. The mental suffering of the survivors, who fear for the safety of relatives and friends, was agonizing.

Policeman Robert Hunter, on duty in the crowded court house, this morning is authority for the statement that only three bodies have been recovered and only the corpse of Mrs. James Hossman identified. Hunter said that the death toll in Peru proper would be small and that the loss of life in South Peru which was wiped out, would not be large. He would not estimate the number of dead, but thought it was not over fifty.

Conditions Better

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., March 28.—The fight to relieve flood conditions in central and northern Indiana was on today, but along the lower end of the Wabash river, which the crest has just reached, their troubles were beginning.

Not one of the tens of thousands of refugees in cities suffered for lack of water, food, clothing or attention today. This was the positive and official word from Fort Wayne, Lafayette, Peru, Logansport, Kokomo, Wabash, Terre Haute, Indianapolis, Martinsville, Shelbyville and a score of other cities and towns.

Peru Death List Shrinks

With partial communication restored come the first direct word from Peru that the situation there had been greatly exaggerated, that while the exact death toll is not known, only three bodies have been recovered and the toll would not go over fifty at the outside. Relief has reached Peru from half a dozen cities on the north and no refugee is hungry.

Franklin county, in the south, still appeared to be the hardest hit, with Brookville and several smaller towns partly or wholly wiped out. It is certain, however, that the loss of life will not reach over fifty. Relief work was going on with help from Connorsville and surrounding villages, and the situation was decidedly encouraging.

In Indianapolis, a perfect organization cared for two thousand refugees in public buildings, which had room for more, and boats well provisioned, scoured the flooded areas in West Indianapolis and Broad Ripple visiting the last marooned household which refused to desert its property.

This is the rosy but true view of the situation in the state today, four full days after the floods drove people from their homes in all parts of Indiana, cut off scores of communities from all communication with each other, carried away thousands of houses, submerged other goods, drove the refugees unprotected to the wet and cold outdoors, or huddled them by the thousands in unsanitary buildings, paralyzed industry, destroyed at least $50,000,000 in property in the state and gave rise to the wildest rumors that conditions made plausible.

Egg and Milk Famine

It will be months before ordinary conditions of life are resumed. In Indianapolis, for example, three city bridges, two interurban bridges and two railroad bridges were wrecked. The rumors of great loss of life in West Indianapolis have not been verified, and the death toll will not go over ten, the police say. The city suffered from a milk, egg and butter famine, and only mails could be delivered, railroad service being still impaired.

Fort Wayne O. K.

FORT WACNE, Ind., March 28.—The rivers are falling rapidly at Fort Wayne and a few of the ten thousand

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DAYTON DEAD NOT TO EXCEED 300

DAYTON, Ohio, March 28. — The number of dead in the Dayton flood will not exceed 300. This statement is based on investigation made in every part of the stricken city. Every part is today accessible and those parts that were expected to produce the largest number of deaths have been almost free of fatalities.

Dayton has been waiting, horror-struck, for the reports from North Dayton and Riverdale, where levees were supposed to have broken and overwhelmed the people. The first men to penetrate these regions reported today that there are not more than ten deaths in North Dayton and very few deaths at Riverdale. The flood is receding quickly and it was believed many of the dead will be uncovered before nightfall. Enormous damage is disclosed by fall of the flood. Down town is now like a city that was.

Famine prevails, alike in the rich and poor sections of the city and everywhere rescuers are importuned for food.

By Staff Correspondent United Press

DAYTON, O., March 28.—For the first time in four days the water is off the street in front of the Algonquin hotel. In the first two days of the flood, water reached the second story of the hotel. Relief boats brought food and water to the guests of the Algonquin hotel, the Beckel house, the Phillips and the Atlas hotels.

The down town streets were alive again with citizens, most of them very hungry and appealing for food. There was an air of holiday rejoicing in the ruined boulevards. People were glad that they were alive. They joked and cried with joy by turns when friends, coming from the south side of the city found them.

Prepared to Die

Wednesday they had prepared to die when the fire, swept toward them by the wind, threatened to destroy them.

"Most of us made up our minds that if we had to die we would rather die drowning than burning," said Dr. Salunnewo, who was imprisoned in one of the buildings. "We prepared to cash in, by the way of the water. Hundreds were camped on the roofs of the hotels and skyscrapers inspired by the mad notion that the water was reaching towards them even to the top floors of skyscrapers. As the flames veered toward them they shouted warnings across the roofs. Many prayed. At midnight the flames shifted and the down town section was saved."

The morgue began its part in the tragedy of the Dayton flood today.

First there were brought in the bodies of two women taken from a house at 609 Second street. One was the body of an old woman, the other a young one. A note pinned to the bodies indicated calm preparation for death as the water rose over their home and finally engulfed it.

Identify Own Bodies

"Hawke—mother and daughter," read the note.

"Hawke—mother and daughter," were placed side by side in the National Cash Register company's garage that has been converted into a morgue.

The mother and daughter were found on the second floor of their home in an embrace.

Several hundred men and women fled to the Arcade when the water made its first rush, they said today.

Former Mayor Burkhardt was one of those imprisoned in the Arcade. Burkhardt was unanimously elected mayor of the Arcade community of flood refugees and he established a police and sanitary system.

The postoffice was turned into a shelter place for 89 men, women and children.

Ropes were thrown out and cases of food snagged as they floated by.

Escape From "Works"

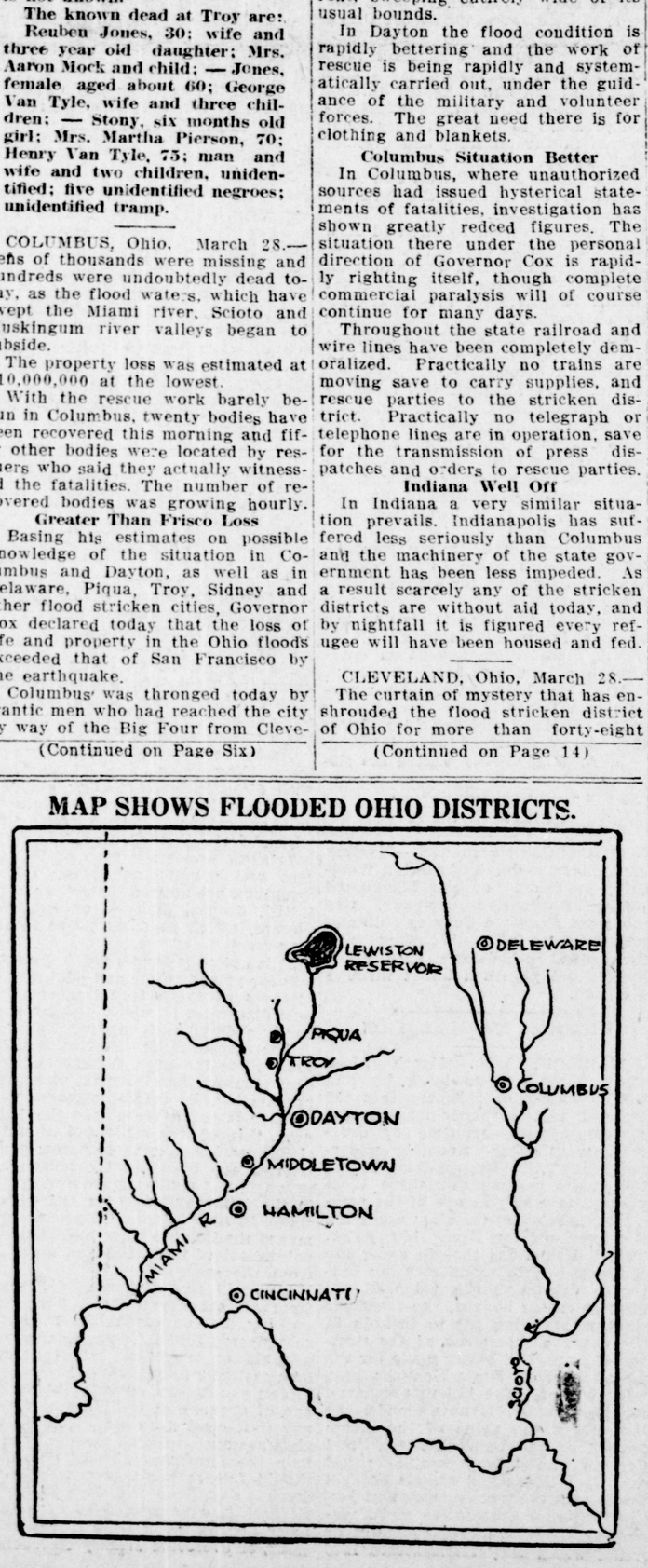
In the midst of the horror, fifteen prisoners in the city work house broke out through the roof and fleeing over the roof of the Antlers hotel, raided the cafe.

The flood is receding rapidly. Large areas Thursday morning deeply submerged, today are becoming uncovered. Many persons marooned in office buildings and homes have been able to wade to safety.

A purported statement of Chief of Police Allaback that he estimates the loss of life at not more than 150 is not accepted by other prominent men, who have been in close touch

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MAP SHOWS FLOODED OHIO DISTRICTS.



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PRAIRIE DU CHIEN

A. P. Pugh, treasurer of the town of Clayton, former postmaster at Soldiers Grove and president of that village, committed suicide on Tuesday at his farm home near Soldiers Grove. His body was found by his wife hanging in an out building. No cause is known for the act. Mr. Pugh was sixty years of age and leaves a wife and children.

Thomas DeLacey was a passenger to DeSoto Thursday morning.

Mrs. J. D. Day is entertaining Miss Miller, a teacher in the Sassville schools, during vacation week.

Mrs. Fred Evert, Jr., returned on Tuesday from a week's visit in Dubuque and Chicago.

The Knights of Pythias have leased the Ziebrecht hall over the Herold grocery store and will have lodge and club rooms fitted up for their use. The hall is large and the location is one of the best and most centrally located in town.

Hon. Jeremiah O'Neil of Wauzeka, was in the city Wednesday.

J. D. Stuaft made a business trip to Lynxville Thursday.

Archdeacon W. G. Blossom of Madison will hold services Sunday at the Trinity Episcopal church.

Clerk of the Court Arthur Curran who has been taking treatment at the old sanitarium for rheumatism is now improving and has been removed to his home in the Third ward.

Dr. R. W. Fallis was visited this week by his brother, a resident of Regina, Canada, enroute to Chicago.

Mrs. W. Hammes is spending a few days at Lynxville.

William Mueller transacted business at Victory Thursday.

Clyde Ertel of Seneca was in the city on business Wednesday.

VIROQUA, WIS.

Ole Hulsether has returned from Montfort, where he spent several weeks.

District Attorney McKibbin visited his children and the Rentz family at Esopea.

The M. H. Bekkedahl Lumber Co., is going to build a parsonage in the Coe Block for Rev. Hofstead, pastor of the United Lutheran church.

Mr. John T. Chapman of Illinois has purchased the Tainter farm near Liberty Pole.

Anton Hendon, a fourteen year old boy, was injured when a colt kicked him in the face.

Fred M. Graves has returned to Montana, after spending the winter here.

Mr. Roy Carver, who taught manual training in the schools here last year, is here for a visit from Green Bay.

Prof. and Mrs. Nye have returned to their home in Viola after a visit with their son and daughter here.

Rev. Albert T. Larcey of Bloomington preaches in the Congregational church in the morning and evening next Sunday.

The Misses Lelia Crume and Amy Alexander are visiting the former's parents in Omaha.

A baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Larson of this city.

Otto Brown assisted with a musical program at the Congregational church in Sparta for the usual Easter observances.

Mrs. Jacob Thompson and husband left for Montana where they will make their home.

Mrs. F. M. Minshall was taken to a La Crosse hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. Albert Burkhardt died of quick consumption. She is survived by a husband and four children.

Because of the illness of Mr. Edgar Curry, Mr. H. F. Swain was called to Tomah.

W. D. Dyson and family accompanied Miss Doris Dyson to Milwaukee, where they visited for a time before going to Chicago.

Miss Daisy Gosling is visiting her brother, Harry, in Montana.

Mrs. Radford underwent an operation in a La Crosse hospital.

Mrs. Geo. Clark is visiting her parents in Whitehall.

Mrs. Packard and daughter, Dorothy, visited relatives in Portage.

E. A. Wiganowsky visited his sister in Milwaukee.

Healthy Baby Is Precious Blessing

To Make it Healthy and Keep it Healthy Use a Reliable Laxative Healthy Use a Reliable Baby Laxative



DOROTHY JOHNSON

In spite of the greatest personal care and the most intelligent attention to diet, babies and children will become constipated, and it is a fact that constipation and indigestion have wrecked many a young life. To start with a good digestive apparatus is to start life without handicap.

But as we cannot all have perfect working bowels we must do the next best thing and acquire them, or train them to become healthy. This can be done by the use of a laxative-tonic very highly recommended by a great many mothers. The remedy is called Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and has been on the market for two generations. It can be bought conveniently at any drug store for fifty cents or one dollar a bottle, and those who are already convinced of its merits buy the dollar size.

Its mildness makes it the ideal medicine for children, and it is also very pleasant to the taste. It is sure in its effect and genuinely harmless. Very little of it is required and its frequent use does not cause it to lose its effect, as is the case with so many other remedies.

Thousands can testify to its merits in constipation, indigestion, biliousness, sick headache, etc., among them reliable people like Mrs. M. Johnson, 752 Dayton St., Kenosha, Wis. She is the mother of little Dorothy Johnson who was always in delicate health until her mother gave her Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. Mrs. Johnson says: "I never saw such rapid improvement in the health of anyone. Syrup Pepsin is a wonderful remedy and I shall never be without it again." Thousands keep Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin constantly in the house, for every member of the family can use it from infancy to old age. The users of Syrup Pepsin have learned to avoid cathartics, salts, mineral waters, pills and other harsh remedies for they do but temporary good and are a shock to any delicate system.

If no member of your family has ever used Syrup Pepsin and you would like to make a personal trial of before buying it in the regular way of a druggist, send your address—a postal will do—to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 417 Washington St., Monticello, Ill., and a free sample bottle will be maled you.

FLOOD ENEMIES AID MEASURE

Drainage Congress Seeks Influence for Triumph of the River Plans

CHICAGO, March 28.—A call for the third annual convention of the National Drainage Congress at St. Louis, April 10, 1913, marks the beginning of another vigorous, nationwide campaign by that organization for the passage of the Newlands bill in the house of representatives. The senate already has passed the measure. The steps recommended by the Internal Waterways Commission for the prevention of the disastrous floods in the valleys of the Mississippi and other rivers together with the improvement of navigation and prevention of soil erosion are embodied in the bill, which the Drainage congress twice has endorsed as a necessary preliminary to the reclamation of the 75,000,000 acres of fertile lands which now are not only idle but a menace to health as swamps scattered through nearly all the states of the Union.

Immediate action will be demanded by the Drainage congress and as the democratic, republican and progressive parties in their national platforms declared in favor of the measures of swamp reclamation which for many years have been discussed, reported upon favorably by government engineers and allowed to go undone partly for lack of a definite program such as the Drainage congress in its call sets forth:

1. The protection of the public welfare, by the drainage and reclamation of the 75,000,000 acres of swamp and overflowed lands in the United States and their utilization for agricultural purposes;

2. The protection, by drainage and reclamation, of the public health, which is constantly menaced by the existence of these swamps;

3. The protection, by levee construction and other means of the people and their lives, homes and lands, form floods, storms and tides;

4. The protection of the financial interests of the United States, the various states, and the individual land owners, by co-operation and an equable sharing of the expense of carrying out this plan, in proportion to the benefits received.

FARMERS PETITION M'GOVERN

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The resolutions adopted at the annual round-up of the Farmers' Institute at Clintonville, petitioning Gov. McGovern to appoint two well informed farmers to membership on the board of regents of the university, have been received at the executive office. Another resolution adopted at the institute urges an appropriation from the legislature so that the agricultural interests of Wisconsin may be shown at the Panama-Pacific exposition. Other resolutions adopted ask for the passage of a law so that a pure bred registered sire maintained for breeding purposes in either horses, cattle, sheep or swine be exempt from taxation, and that the state board of agriculture be reorganized so that the different agricultural interests of the state may be more adequately represented.

WRITES BOOK OF POEMS

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—Raymond B. Pease, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin in the class of 1900 and now assistant professor of English at the University of Washington Seattle, has published a book of poems entitled. "The High Trail."



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They Got Left.

John and Betty, aged five and four years, had started on a railway journey with their parents on Monday, but reached the station just in time to hear the engineer ring his bell and see the train pull out of the station, leaving the family behind.

Next Sunday John and Betty were started out on the way to Sunday school. When they were halfway there the bell rang, and presently they came regretfully back.

"We got left," they announced.—New York Post.

Water.

Water constitutes about two-thirds of the weight of the body and enters into the composition of all the tissues and fluids. To keep the necessary proportion a large quantity needs to be ingested. One of the great dietetic errors is the neglect to take a sufficient quantity. The amount found in foods is insufficient, and about five cupfuls should be taken daily in beverages. A vegetable diet diminishes the need of water, while one composed largely of animal food increases this need.

The man who takes advantage of the weakness of others doubts his own strength.

The Man Who Is Half Sick.

A physician recently remarked that "it was an awful punishment to be only slightly ill and have nothing to do." The man who is only halfway sick, if he has nothing to occupy his attention, soon grows morbidly introspective, and his mind becomes filled with exaggerated ideas of his condition. Disease grows and flourishes under such conditions. Regular employment is conducive to health. Work keeps the blood active and the mind away from the physical condition.—Health.

PRECIOUS MOMENTS.

Bacon's fame is mainly due to books written in his spare hours while he was England's chancellor. Humboldt's days were so occupied with his business that he had to pursue his scientific labors in the night or early morning. Burns wrote his most beautiful poems in his spare moments while working on a farm. Grote wrote his "History of Greece" during the odds and ends of time snatched from his duty as a banker. "Moments are the golden sands of time" if rightly used.



Worms Were Delicious to the Fish.

Daddy's Bedtime Story—

The Sly Old Trout Enjoyed Tommy's Fishing.

"THE big boy at the corner is going fishing tomorrow. Can't I go, too?" Jack asked. "He says I can go."

"Ugh, and have a lot of horrid worms to fish with! I saw him digging them up in his yard today," exclaimed Evelyn.

"Once there was a little boy named Tommy Perkins," daddy began. "Tommy wanted to go fishing. He asked his father and mother, and they said yes if he would be very careful not to fall into the water.

"Tommy spent nearly a whole day digging worms for bait. He put them into a tin pail, and he had a great many of them.

"'I'm going to catch a whole lot of fish,' Tommy Perkins said as he kissed his mother goodby.

"Tommy went walking off with his little basket of luncheon on one arm and the pail of worms on the other. He carried his fishing rod very carefully. It was a brand new one. This was the first time he had ever gone fishing.

"When he reached the brook Tommy Perkins sat down and fixed his rod. He put a nice large worm on it. A big fat trout that was swimming by saw the worm and called to his friends:

"'Hey, fellows, here's a boy come down to the brook to give us a treat! Come on; there's a nice fat worm on his fishing line. I'm going to get it, but there are a heap more in the pail. You can have some too.'

"Of course all this was said in fish talk, and Tommy couldn't understand it, but the fishes must have heard, because in a few minutes a lot of them had gathered there.

"The first one had whisked the worm off the hook and darted away before Tommy knew what had happened. He was a smart old fish was that trout, and he wasn't going to be caught by any little boy on his first fishing trip.

"Tommy put another and another worm on the hook. The fishes gurgled with delight. It was too easy for anything.

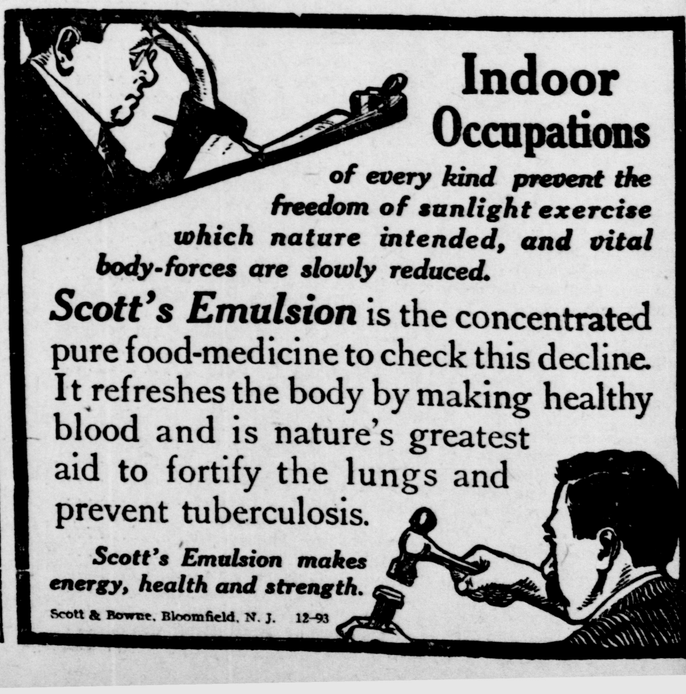
"Tommy ate his lunch thoughtfully. He had sandwiches and cookies and apple pie. Tommy ate every bit of it. It tasted fine.

"When Tommy finished eating he picked out another fat worm.

"'I don't see why I can't catch anything,' he complained. 'These are perfectly good worms, I'm sure.'

"So they were, and the next fish that came along showed that he thought so by grabbing it off the hook and sailing away with what looked like a grin on his face. Really it was very provoking to a little boy fisher.

"And Tommy fished all afternoon. When he started to go home he hadn't a worm left, and all the fish were still in the brook. Well, the fish had a good time, and so had Tommy, but I'm not sure that the worms liked it so well."



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3—Mon	7,527	17—Mon	7,537
4—Tues	7,524	18—Tues	7,537
5—Wed	7,528	19—Wed	7,534
6—Thur	7,528	20—Thur	7,534
7—Fri	7,531	21—Fri	7,536
8—Sat	7,531	22—Sat	7,536
9—Sunday		23—Sunday	
10—Mon	7,533	24—Mon	7,527
11—Tues	7,532	25—Tues	7,529
12—Wed	7,532	26—Wed	7,532
13—Thur	7,534	27—Thur	7,532
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LA FOLLETTE DRAWS THE TARIFF LINE

Defending his stand in favor of a tariff revision based upon "the difference in the cost of production between this and competing countries" rather than upon the free trade principle, Senator La Follette utters this warning to the Wilson administration:

"But it may be well to remind those who are at present engaged in framing the new bill upon the tariff issue, more prominent in 1908 than in 1912, Mr. Taft defeated Colonel Bryan by an overwhelming majority. Taft stood for a revision downward that should measure the difference in cost of production between this and competing countries, that is, revision downward along protective lines. Bryan stood for revision downward according to democratic principle, that is, revision downward to the bare revenue basis.

"The decision upon the tariff issue of 1908 has never been reversed or modified by the vote of a majority of the electorate. Let there be no misunderstanding about that fact. Wilson was elected by a smaller vote than Bryan received. His election did not signify any change of opinion regarding the democratic party and its tariff policy of revision to a revenue basis."

This statement may mark the lines of one difference of opinion between Mr. La Follette and the president that will be manifested in the extra session.

Senator La Follette adds that the tariff question but "touches the edge of the great problem," and he urges that the extra session proceed with trust suppression and banking reform. The senator evidently is not convinced that the democratic organization in congress has an honest intention to do this, but he adds that "it is believed President Wilson will be found alert and ready."

DISCONTENT AND PROFIT SHARING

Part, at least, of the industrial discontent so prevalent among workers these days comes from the fact that their wages are all they possibly can hope to get from their labor. The profits go to other men, who either supply capital or are backed by it.

Part, at least, of the public dissatisfaction with the high prices comes from the fact that buyers feel they are paying inordinate profits into the hands of a few men, controlling this self-made power of capital.

If the extra tax on the purse were going into the hands of labor there would not be half the objection. For instance, the public was willing to pay an increased price for coal when it understood that the increase went for miners' wages, but now that it realizes it is paying three times as much in extra profits to the operators as it is to the miners it is protesting.

Far-sighted men now realize that the discontent of workers for wages rests on the fact that they are fixed at the minimum the individual man or the union which represents him will take. They have recognized that the wage earner is in a sense a partner in the business, contributing by his faithfulness, honesty and efficiency to its up-building. From this conviction has grown the profit-sharing plan in vogue today in many enterprises. It is founded on the doctrine that the man who works is entitled to more than the mere price of his labor as a commodity in the market; in other words, his labor can not be paid for as a machine or a piece of land is paid for, but demands a recognition of the human element he puts into his work. This recognition comes when the men who help build up a business receive a share in the increasing profits of that business.

The subject, constantly in the mind of economists, is brought into public notice by an indorsement of profit-sharing now given by Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard university. He says:

"I have seen a continual increase in wages and decrease in hours for the last forty-five years and yet in all that time discontent has grown steadily. The system of profit sharing seems to supply the needed motive to keep the employes interested in their work, and consequently contented."

The suggestion made is worth thought as a possible remedy for one of the most tangled problems the world of today has to face. It should, however, be viewed with caution, for it affords a grand opportunity for the exploitation of labor by unscrupulous capitalists.

THE PUBLIC HAS A RIGHT TO KNOW

Wednesday The Tribune, to clarify the issues in the local campaign, asked the candidates for mayor to say whether if elected they would reopen the red light district. Yesterday John Dengler answered in the negative and today Mr. Sorensen says that if elected "no such order will be issued."

Mr. Sorensen is quoted in some quarters as having said that if elected he would want to keep Chief Webber in office and in others that he would want to supplant Webber by a new chief. Lots of voters want to know where Mr. Sorensen stands on this question, also. Therefore we believe Mr. Sorensen should make a frank statement as to whether, if elected mayor, he will or will not use his influence to secure a new chief of police to succeed John Webber.

Wife of a Windy City millionaire declared that during her 32 years of married life her husband gave her 100 beatings. Then she got mad and sued for divorce. What a temper.

A Chicago thief stole 25,000 cigarets from a delivery wagon in broad daylight. It will take more coffin nails than that to wreck such nerve.

At last the baldheaded man has some protection. They are going right after the manufacturers of guaranteed hair tonics.

It would appear that considerable gold is withheld from circulation through hoarding it in the teeth.

A Fine Distinction

Senator Gronna, discussing a knotty tariff problem, said in Dakota:

"There is a nice distinction involved here. You don't notice it at first. Once it is pointed out to you, however, you perceive its immense importance.

"It's the sort of distinction that Gobsa Golde's beautiful young wife revealed to him during a conjugal quarreled over a diamond tiara.

"'People say,' quavered the old man, trembling with rage, 'people say you only married me because I had money.'

"The young woman smiled superbly.

"'Rubbish!' she exclaimed. 'My primary reason for marrying you was that I had no money myself.'"—Newark Morning Star.

The Bricklayer's Luck

"Well, Tommy, what do you want to be when you grow up? A lawyer?"

"Naw."

"Oh, I know. You want to be a policeman or an engineer."

"Naw, I don't. I wanna be a bricklayer."

"A bricklayer? Why, that's hard work."

"So's everything. But there's so many days a bricklayer don't hafter work on account o' the weather—an' there's so much rotten weather."

Our younger generation is becoming cynical and socialistic, in other words.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

A spinster never gets so old as to lose interest in a love letter—no matter whose it is.

Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

From the Training Camp

The team is lookin' simply great.
Dere's nottin' to it, boys,
Our aggregation's goin' to be the one
and only noise.
The pitchin' staff has got the goods.
Yes, siree, hope t' die,
And every slugger in the bunch has
got his battin' eye.
We're going to make the other seven
teams look mighty tame.
And we can't figger out just how
we're goin' to lose a game.
There's nottin' to the bunch at all
exceptin' simple class;
They'll even win the plaudits of the
feller with the pass.
Just take this hunch right off the
bat, it someway seems as how
Us folks have just as good as got that
pennant cinched right now.

The boy who writes the press stuff
from the southern training
camp
Is bound to view the matter with an
optimistic lamp.
He says we've got some runners who
could make Ty Cobb turn
pale;
His burning words of fulsome praise
almost cremate the mail.
The big leagues overlooked a bet
in some uncalled-for way
By failing to sign up this crowd that
we have in our pay.
Of course, the owner might say
more, but modesty forbids,
Although it will be just like taking
candy from the kids.
But when we come to recollect the
by-gone baseball lore,
It seems as though we've read this
same old line of stuff before.

He Learned a Lesson

Congressman Ralph W. Moss of Indiana did not care much for a hat his wife wore. He finally spoke about it. Mrs. Moss admitted that it was plain, and, instead of taking exception to her husband's remark, invited him to accompany her the next time she bought a hat.

"I can certainly pick out a better one than that," said Mr. Moss.

So they went to the store together. Mrs. Moss said not a word as the comely milliner displayed one beautiful bonnet after another. It was the first time Mr. Moss had ever been in a millinery store, but he appeared to be at ease and finally selected one of the most joyful creations in the entire stock. Mrs. Moss looked well in it. She was pleased.

"I'll take that," said the Hoosier congressman. "How much is it?"

"Forty dollars," said the pretty girl, without even a blink.

Mr. Moss saw blue stars, but luckily, he had just come from the bank and was able to produce that much in cash. Now he lets Mrs. Moss buy her own hats and he does not complain about their being plain.—Judge.

Jeffersonian Simplicity

It was August, the secretary of state had called at the white house to talk over the impending war with Japan. The hired man was sitting on the front steps playing a mouth organ, while a rosy cheeked maid kept time with her churning.

The secretary of state strolled around to the lot back of the executive mansion. Here he discovered the president and vice president pitching horseshoes. Both wore overalls and gingham shirts.

"Howdy, Bill?" nodded the President and the vice president.

"Howdy, Woody; howdy, Tom?" returned the secretary of state.

"Set down and referee this game, Bill," said the president. "Tom has bet me a yearling heifer against my bicycle that he beats me. Then you can stay for supper, Bill, and we'll have a game of checkers."—Exchange.

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New Way to Make Apple Dumplings

Served With Hard Sauce or Cream and Sugar

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

Here is a new way to make apple dumplings that will surely please every housewife, for it is not necessary to have whole apples, and the juice cannot run out and burn as with apple dumplings where the apple is placed in the center and the dough turned up around it. The biscuit part forms a crispy shell that holds the apples and juice.



K C Apple Dumplings

One and one-half cups sifted flour; ½ teaspoonful salt; 3 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; ¼ cup shortening; about ½ cup milk; apples.

Fill the cups of a buttered muffin pan with pared and sliced apples, sprinkle with salt and turn two or three tablespoonfuls of water into each cup. Sift together, three times, the flour, salt and baking powder; work in the shortening, and mix to a soft dough with the milk. Drop the dough from a spoon with the apples in the cups, giving it a smooth exterior. Let bake about twenty-five minutes. Invert the pan on a large serving-dish. Put a spoonful of hard sauce above the apple in each dumpling and finish with a grating of nutmeg.

This is only one of the many new, delicious and appetizing recipes contained in the K C Cook's Book, which may be obtained *free* by sending the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the JAQUES MFG. Co., Chicago. Be sure to get the 25-cent size—smaller cans do not contain Cook's Book certificates.

CLOSE IN LINE FOR PAPAL SUCCESSION



Top, Cardinal Merry del Val; bottom, Cardinal Falconio.

There is a strong chance that Cardinal Diomede Falconio, an American citizen, will receive serious consideration by the papal consistory for election to the papacy in case Pope Pius should succumb to his present illness. Falconio was born in Abruzzi, Italy, educated in the Franciscan order, and sent to America in 1862 as a missionary. He was naturalized in 1868. He has been apostolic delegate to this country since 1902.

Cardinal Merry del Val is a Spaniard, and papal secretary. He also is a leading candidate for the papacy.

THE FIRESIDE SERMON

By Lucius C. Clark, D. D.
Friday, March twenty-eight, 1913
Johann Amos Comenius, Born March twenty-eight, 1592.

Isaiah, 55, 4.

"I have given him for a leader to the peoples."

Popular education is common, and so free to all we can scarcely imagine a time when it was otherwise. Three hundred years ago it was practically all under the cap of Comenius. He was given as a leader, and we should not be unmindful of him.

Dog Had Poor Support

Kin Hubbard, the Indiana humorist—one of them, that is to say—once was assigned to cover a performance of "Uncle Tom's Cabin." Hubbard had his brain-child, old "Abe Martin," report the play. This was the critique: "'Uncle Tom's Cabin' played down t' Melodeon hall las' night. Th' dogs was good, but they had poor support."—Everybody's Magazine.

A man won't pay his wife even a small salary because she earns such a big one.

The Just and The Unjust

By Vaughan Kester

The Prodigal Judge

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"Don't try that or you'll get the worst of it, Marsh; you've been soaking up too much whisky to be any good at that game with me!" said Gilmore.

His manner was cool and determined. He took Langham roughly by the shoulders and threw him back in his chair. The lawyer's face was ghastly in the gray light that streamed in through the windows, but he had lost his sense of personal fear in another and deeper and less selfish emotion. Yet he realized the gambler's power over him, the power of a perfect and absolute knowledge of his most secret and hidden concerns.

Gilmore surveyed him with a glance of quiet scorn.

"It was about half past five when she turned up at North's rooms. He had just come up the stairs ahead of her; I imagine he knew she was coming. I guess I could tell you a few things you don't know! All during the summer and fall they've been meeting on the quiet—" he laughed insolently. "Oh, you have been all kinds of a fool, Marsh; I guess you've got on to the fact at last. And I don't wonder you are anxious to see North hang, and that you won't go near him. I'd kill him if I stood in your place. But maybe we can fix it so the law will do that job for you. It seems to have the whip-hand with him just now. Well, he was the whole thing with your wife when she went away this fall and then he began to take up with the general's girl—sort of to keep his hand in, I suppose—the damn fool! For she ain't a patch on your wife. I guess Mrs. Langham had been tipped off to this new deal—that's what brought her back to Mount Hope in such a hurry, and she went to his rooms to have it out with him and learn just where she stood. I was in my bedroom and I could hear them talking through the partition. It wasn't peaches and cream, for she was rowing all right!"

"It's a lie!" cried Langham, and he strove to rise to his feet, but Gilmore's strong hand kept him in his chair.

"No, I don't lie, Marsh, you ought to know that by this time; but there's just one point you want to get through your head; with your wife's help North can prove an alibi. He won't want to compromise her, or himself with the Herbert girl, for that matter; but how long do you think he's going to keep his mouth shut with the gallows staring him in the face? I'm willing to go as far in this matter as the next, but you got to do your part and pay the price, or I'll throw you down so hard you'll never get over the jar!" His heavy jaws protruded. "Now, I've a notion I want to know your wife. I like her style. I guess you can trust her with me—you ain't afraid of that, are you?"

"Take your hands off me!" cried Langham, struggling fiercely.

He tore at the gambler's wrists, but Gilmore only laughed his tantalizing laugh.

"Oh, come, Marsh, let's get back to the main point. If North's indicted and your wife's summoned as a witness, she's got to chip in with us, she's got to deny that she was in his rooms that day—you got to see to that, I can't do everything—"

"On your word—"

"Well, you needn't quote me to her—it wouldn't help my standing with her—but ask her where she was between half past five and six the day of the murder; and mind this, you must make her understand she's got to keep still no matter what happens! Put aside the notion that North won't summon her; wait until he is really in danger and then see how quick he squeals!"

"She may have gone to his rooms," said Langham chokingly, "but that doesn't prove anything wrong—"

"Oh, come, Marsh, you ain't fool enough to feel that way about it."

"Let me up, Gilmore!"

"No, I won't; I'm trying to make you see things straight for your own good. What's the matter, anyhow; don't you and your wife get on?"

Langham's face was purple with rage and shame, while his eyes burned with a murderous hate. Rude hands had uncovered his hidden sore; yet ruder speech was making mock of the disgraceful secret. It was of his wife that this coarse bully was speaking! That what he said was probably true—Evelyn herself had admitted much—did not in the least ease the blow that had crushed his pride and self-respect. He lay back in his chair, limp and panting under Gilmore's strong hands. Where was his own strength of heart and arm that he should be left powerless in this moment of unspeakable degradation?

"It behooves you to do something more than soak up whisky," said the gambler. "You must find out what took your wife to North's rooms, and you must make her keep quiet no matter what happens. If you go about it right it ought to be easy, for they had some sort of a row and he's mixed up with the Herbert girl; you got that to go on. Now, the question is, is she mad enough to see him go to the penitentiary or hang without opening her mouth to save him? Come, you should know something about her by this time; I would, if I had been married to her as long as you have."

Suddenly he released Langham and fell back a step. The lawyer staggered to his feet, adjusting his collar and cravat which Gilmore's grasp on his throat had disarranged. He glanced about him with a vague notion of obtaining some weapon that would put him on an equality with his more powerful antagonist, but nothing offered, and he took a step toward the door.

"Don't be a fool, Marsh," said the gambler coldly. "I'm going to change my tactics with you. I'm not going to wear myself out keeping your nose pointed in the right direction; you must do something for yourself, you drunken fool!"

Langham took another step toward the door—but his eyes—the starting bloodshot eyes of a hunted animal—still searched the room for some weapon. E... iron poker by th... nothing that wou... pose, and he must... to reach that. St... his collar he pa... midway of the r... self-respect would... from the place bu... kept him there.

Gilmore threw h... a chair before the ... gar. In spite of h... watched him, fa... was such conscio... tery in everything... that he felt the ... that were 'minen... with miserable fu... the use of strugg...

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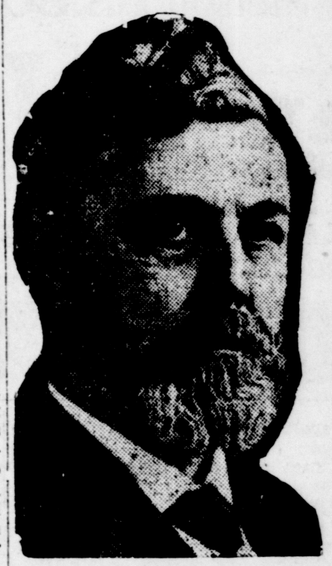
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Those wishing further ... may address Dr. Lewis ... lege Bldg., College-Hi... Dayton, O., enclosing ... stamped envelope for ... name and address must ... only initials or fictitiou... be used in my answers. ... scriptions can be filled ... stocked drug store ... can order of who...

"Elizabeth" writes, "Kindly publish again the prescription for stomach disorders and constiption. I have misplaced the letter giving the ingredients."

Answer: Go to your druggist and ask for tablets triopeptine and take according to directions, and you will soon be entirely cured of all stomach trouble and constipation. This is the best treatment konwn for all kinds of stomach trouble.

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"Anna" says: "I am nervous, hysterical and very thin due to overwork. What can I take to regain my original vitality?"

Answer: You will gradually regain your original strength by using syrup of hypophophites comp. 5 ozs; tincture cadomene comp., 5 Mix and take a teaspooful before meals. This is the best system tonic that I konw of.

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Mrs. P. R. asks: "I am troubled with a large goitre and am very fleshy; so much so that I am uncomfortable. What do you advise me to do?"

Answer: Five-grain arbolene tablets should be taken regularly. If this is done your goitre and abnormal fat will gradually be reduced. These tablets are sold in sealed tubes, with full directions for home use.

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"Edna T." writes: "I wish you would recommend a remedy for kidney and liver trouble. I have dark spots before my eyes, dizzy spells and also twinges of rheumatism."

Answer: I have received many letters from people who have used the following remedy and been cured of all trouble such as you mention. Get three grain sulpherb tablets (not sulphur tablets), and take according to directions given. They are sold at any well-stocked drug store and are thoroughly reliable.

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"Louise"—Get the following prescription filled and give 10 to 16 drops in water before meals to cure your little boy of bed-wetting. Comp. fluid balmwort, 1 oz.; tincture rhusaromatic, 2 drams, and tincture cubebs, 1 dram. This should be given one hour before meals.

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"Helen" writes: "My nostrils and throat are badly affected with catarrh and my breath is very offensive. I also suffer a great deal with headache and pain in my eyes. Can anything be done to help me?"

Answer: Antiseptic Vilane powder has been prescribed with great success and the number of letters received daily from the hundreds of grateful people who have been cured of catarrh would indicate its curative value. Get from the druggist a two ounce original package of vilane powder, mix a level teaspoonful with an ounce of vaseline or lard and apply well up in the ... Also use the ... with the abo... the nostrils: ... ful of the ... of warm wa... through the ... day and yo... be cured. ... should be u...

"Tom M." ... twenty years ... ing out very ... covered with ... I get to cure...

Answer: ... stop falling ... minyol. This ... well-stocked drug s... and if used regularly ... scalp disease and p... baldness. Many peo... ed a cure by using ... plications.

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"J. W." writes: "... happiest woman in ... could find a true rem... gain flesh. I have ... but I am so thin th... Can you give me a ...

Answer: I receiv... gratifying letters fr... grain hyponuclane ... little tablets can be ... up-to-date drug stor... ages. Full directio... advise that you be... at once and contin... several months and ... flesh. Many peopl... two months' treatme... their weight from ... Hypo-Nuclane table... prove your comple... rosy cheeks and li... ed sparkle to the ...

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"American Girl" ... some years I have ... rheumatism. I ha... every "cure," but ... me."

Answer: The ... cription for the c... is: Iodide of po... sodium salicylate, ... colchicum, ½ oz.; ... diol, 1 oz.; fluid ... and syrup sarsapar... by shaking well in ... a teaspoonful at ... bed time, and you ... relieved, but cured, ... its use for a short ...

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"Frank S." writes: ... to have the formu... cough cure as I ha... cough which is ... noying."

Answer: Th... know of for ... made by mixi... concentrated ... with a home-m... will find full ... tle how to ma... make a full ... cheapest coug...

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Novel Escape from the Snowy Roofs Takes Place During Dayton Flood

DAYTON, Ohio, March 28.—It's a moving picture full of thrills that you can see here every minute of the day as the rescued troop in, bearing nothing but burdens of sorrow.

Each one, though a plain every day person, has an epic story to tell and here are some of them:

Rescued on Shutter

One of the most daring rescues in this city of daring and heroic deeds occurred yesterday at a house at 118 Pulaski street when two families consisting of nine members slid from the snow covered roof of their home lasned to shutters and were drawn through the icy water to safety to an adjoining building fifty feet away. The rescued were William Tobe, his wife and their four children, and a niece and William Fornuff and wife.

The building in which the families lived began to totter in the mornms and they fled to the roof and cried for help. Boats were unable to face the torrent and rescuers then threw a bottle to which was attached a rope to William Fornuff. At the other end of the rope was a shutter and Fornuff lashed his wife to the improvised life boat.

The woman then slid into the water and pulled to safety. All others were rescued in a similar manner amid cheers of the hundreds who looked on.

To make the rescue of the two families complete, "Tony" the pet dog of the Fornuffs, was induced to swim to his new home.

Mrs. Katherine O'Connor, 56, and her daughter, Blanche, 23, kissed their husband and father and son and brother good bye before they were taken from their home at 116 Lincoln street. The men were left behind because there was not room in the boat. O'Connor and his son are missing.

Jerry Connors, sporting editor of the Dayton News, was rescued from his home on Jones street Thursday. He was taken to the Hickory street school with his wife and baby, who was ill from exposure. Connors and his wife were found holding to the rafters of their home in the attic, where they had taken refuge.

Christopher Emerick rescued his wife and two small children from their home at 110 Buckeye street by carrying them on his shoulders through water reaching above his waist, Thursday morning.

"We were marooned i our home by the high water," said Emerick. "Patiently we waited for rescuers. Then I saw Thursday morning that both my wife and children were nearly exhausted from exposure. We were starving. I knew that it was up to me to get them out of flooded house and to safety. We could see persons being rescued from their homes farther down the street Wednesday night.

"My wife made me take the children first."

An old man with his wife feebly clinging to his arm, limped into the rescue headquarters. They had been taken from the second story of their home at Wayne and McLain avenues after a night of terror in darkness and cold.

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TAFT AND ROOSEVELT GOOD FRIENDS! BUT THEIR NAMES AREN'T TED AND BILL



Taft (left) and Roosevelt.

When William H. Taft succeeded Theodore Roosevelt as president a photograph was made of the two together on the White House portico that attracted much attention. Here is a new Taft and a new Roosevelt. both of whom are connected with the new administration, the former as a newspaper man covering the executive offices, and the latter as the new assistant secretary of the navy. Both are related distantly to their more famous namesakes. The young Roosevelt whose name is Franklin K., holds the position once held by Theodore in the navy department. He is a Democrat and comes from Dutchess County, N. Y., and has served as a state senator.

No Romance.

"You remember that note I put in the pocket of one of the coats we shipped out?" said the first seamstress.

"Get an answer?" inquired her chum.

"Yes; got a letter today from the man who bought the coat. He inclosed a needle and requested me to thread it. Said the buttons were not sewed on very well."—Kansas City Journal

The Joints of the Acrobat.

Everybody has seen the acrobat dislocate his joints. By means of flexions and contortions that have been practiced from a very early age the spinal cord has been converted into what is to all intents and purposes a rubber tube. He can throw his head low enough to put his neck between his legs and bend his back into a bow almost as complete as that of the fireside cat. A medical man has classified these dislocations and says that the digestion of such men is almost always perfect, provided they do not carry their exercises to excess. He thinks the circulation is stimulated to a degree where waste products of the body are more easily eliminated.—Harper's.

From Choice.

A metropolitan matron once ventured to interrogate James Lane Allen as to the raison d'etre of his state of celibacy.

"Are you a bachelor from choice?" she queried.

"Yes," came the answer with disconcerting promptness from the famous author.

"But isn't that—er—rather ungracious and ungallant?" protested the fair inquisitor.

The novelist smiled.

"You must ask the ladies," he suggested gently. "It was their choice, not mine."—Woman's Home Companion.

The Bad Soldier.

In one of the barrack rooms a soldier, not having much time to dress for guard, had cleaned his boots very well in front, but hardly at all behind. One of his chums, noticing this, said:

"Why don't you clean the backs of your boots, Pat?"

"Oh," said Pat, clapping on his helmet and hurrying out to parade, "a good soldier never looks behind."

In consequence the adjutant awarded Pat three extra parades, and a few days after his chum, seeing a great difference in his boots, remarked, "I thought a good soldier never looked behind, Pat?"

"No," replied Pat, "but the adjutant does."—London Answers.

It's Up to You.

If you don't like your bed don't lie in it. Just get up and make it again.—

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evoted to the day and evening s and attended domestic sci- t as full as s so nearly he corn ex- and there utiful fancy ever on ex- sort of wel- ing. Attor- the opening lds of Ross- armers, re- Ames, spoke Mrs. L. A. fine talks on science was aukon. Miss riginal poem or taking the short n "Try Try Again." ave a reading. The shed by a double emen and a ladies' iller sang a solo. wening the entertain- ed by the high ations, etc. Wed- the dance. A best dance was ie Barthell and cond by Miss and Clifford Pardee. ng was a lecture by es, with music by a Also a solo by Mr. Friday was held the spelling contest in which Helen Beeman of the Seventh grade here won first place and Mayme Keenan of Jefferson, second. Saturday, Superintendent Peck had issued a call to the teachers of the county to meet at the court house and listen to a talk on teaching agriculture by Mr. Farrar of Ames. There was a good attendance.

Miss Cecil Dayton had a Library Tea Saturday evening.

Last week there were about twenty-five Library Teas. This week there was a let up on account of the short course. Next week about a hundred are due to fill out the chain.

Mrs. H. H. Stilwell returned from his winter in Texas, just in time to meet the wirst storm of the winter. Mrs. Stilwell and Miss Anna remained in Texas till the first of April. Mr. Stilwell sold his west farm to James Collins for $15,500.

Mr. J. D. Sherman sold his farm of 100 acres this week to Herman Roth for $175 an acre. He will move into town as soon as possible.

Lewis B. Stilwell is home from Warrensburg, Mo., for a short visit.

Mrs. Ray Slitor is home at the home of her father, M. M. Eaton, for a visit. She came to Monono to attend the funeral of her husband's father, Richard Slitor, who used to run the "Slitor House" (now the "Allamakee".) Mr. Slitor made his home with his son, Ray, in Minneapolis.

Word was received here Wednesday of the death of Mrs. Jas. Denning at Waterloo. Mr. Denning died in the fall and Mrs. Denning rented her farm near town and went to live with her son at Waterloo. No word of her illness had been received only the telegram of her death which came as a great shock to her many friends here.

Supt. Pye went to Des Moines on Thursday to act as judge in a debating contest.

Miss Hazel Stillman accompanied Thelma Laney to the declamatory contest at Hampton Friday.

Mrs. Estey Mickle was taken suddenly ill on Friday evening and was operated on Saturday morning at the Home Hospital for appendicitis.

Nels Kvamme was operated on the first of the week for a broken leg which had not knit right. Screws were used to fasten the bone in place.

Miss Jennie Nichols went to the Home Hospital Monday for an operation. Her aunt and cousin from Leroy, Minn., came to remain with her mother while Miss Jennie is at the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Bock went to Dubuque Saturday to visit with relatives.

Miss Mayme Sweeny of McGregor, is the new help in the "Democrat" office, Mrs. Durant resigning her work on account of home duties.

Mr. A. T. Nierling presented $200 to the Home Hospital as a token of his appreciation of their work in his recent illness.

School closed this week on Wednesday and most of the teachers go to Independence to the N. E. I. T. A., the 27th, 28th an d29th. School opens again April 7th.

Mrs. Ellison Orr and daughter, Florence, who recently graduated from Ames in the domestic science course, entertained the N. C. club at an elegant three course dinner on Saturday. Their program was all about Easter and Easter gifts are an annual feature of the day. The names of members are drawn some weeks before, the gifts made not to exceed 25c and the one drawing, guesses who made it.

Guy Eaton is now Sir Knight, having taken the degree at the Decorah Commandery meeting.

The annual high school banquet will be served by the ladies of the C. P. church in the church parlors. The program will be given in the assembly room at the high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Haughsie mourn the death of their second daughter, Gertrude, aged 5, from diabetes.

Mrs. McCarthy, sister of Mrs. Molumby, died at the La Crosse hospital on Friday and was buried here Monday. She leaves eight children of her own and two of relatives which she has had in her care. She has been ill since last fall with a cold following pneumonia.

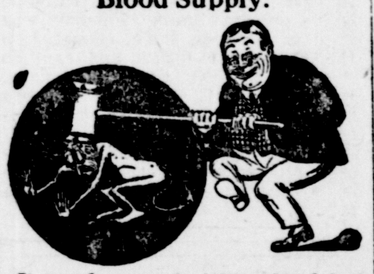
ROMAN GRAFT SCANDAL

ROME, March 28.—A graft scandal comparable with that in connection with the building and furnishing of the Pennsylvania state house threatens to grow out of the arrest of Commendatare Ricciardi and Signor Borelli, members of the firm of contractors who built the famous new Law Courts.

The structure, which was 20 years in building, cost the government $8,000,00, instead of $1,200,000, the original contract price. The result of a recent searching inquiry by a parliamentary committee was charges of graft against the contractors, and of bribery against Signor Silvestre, an official of the railway administration. The latter escaped from Italy before the warrant could be served. Several other government officials are said to be involved and their arrest is imminent.

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It sounds queer to take a blood bath but that is precisely the effect of a most remarkable remedy known as S. S. S. It has the peculiar action of soaking through the intestines directly into the blood. In five minutes its influence is at work in every artery, vein and tiny capillary. Every membrane, every organ of the body, every emunctory becomes in effect a filter to strain the blood of impurities. The stimulating properties of S. S. S. compel the skin, liver, bowels, kidneys, bladder to all work to the one end of casting out every irritating, every pain-inflicting atom of poison; it dislodges by irrigation all accumulations in the joints, dissolves acid accretions, renders them neutral and scatters those peculiar formations in the nerve centers that cause such mystifying and often baffling rheumatic pains.

And best of all, this remarkable remedy is welcome to the weakest stomach, because it is a pure vegetable infusion, is taken naturally into your blood just as pure air is inhaled naturally into your lungs.

The great Swift Laboratory has spent millions of dollars in perfecting, producing and placing in the hands of the public this wonderful remedy. So give your blood a good bath with S. S. S., for it knocks the worst forms of rheumatism every time.

You can get it at any drug store at $1.00 a bottle. It is a standard remedy, recognized everywhere as the greatest blood specific ever discovered. If yours is a peculiar case and you desire expert advice, write to The Swift Specific Co., 127 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

JOKE ENDS TRAGICALLY

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—War office today approved the findings of a court martial at Warsaw which acquitted a young army lieutenant for shooting and dangerously wounding, under unusual circumstances, a lieutenant-colonel.

The lieutenant had been frequently tormented by his superior officer for receiving a wound in the Russo-Japanese war—in the back. Finally to demonstrate that this was no reflection upon his personal courage, the lieutenant offered to submit to any test the other might prescribe.

"Then spend a night alone with a corpse in the army hospital mortuary," said the lieutenant colonel.

The lieutenant agreed, and armed with a prayer book and revolver, repaired to the mortuary. Shortly after midnight the corpse slowly raised up and began to moan. Completely unnerved the young officer started for the door, firing as he ran. One of the bullets hit the corpse, who proved to be the lieutenant-colonel.

Imitation Diamonds.

No imitation of the diamond is so brilliant as the skillfully cut piece of the kind of lead glass known in the trade as "paste." The play of color in these counterfeits is often very beautiful, but the glass "diamond" possesses no luster, this term being applied to the light reflected from the top surface of the gem. The flashes of light and color that give brilliancy come from the interior, being thrown from the rear surface of the stone.

The glass diamond is soft and is attacked chemically by a number of things with which it comes in contact by wear, for both of which reasons it soon becomes dulled.—Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

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CALLS CUBIST ART LEWD AND OBSCENE

CHICAGO, March 28—Designating the display of cubist art, at the Art institute, as "obscene, indecent, immoral, lewd and demoralizing," Prof. W. C. Strauss, art instructor of Waller high school, started a movement among public school teachers to have school children barred from the institute building while the pictures are on display.

"Call this modern art?" asked Prof. Strauss, "Why there are pictures there that aren't fit for children to see. They are not merely nudes; they are naked pictures."

ASK FOR COFFINS

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Gov. Cox at 2:15 p. m. yesterday received a telephone message from Adjutant General George H. Wood at Dayton, saying that several hundred coffins were needed there. He asked the governor to rush these coffins as the rescue work was about to begin. All food supplies were also needed, he said.

SOCIETY FLOWER SHOW

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Ten thousand Easter lilies stripped hothouses of Washington, Baltimore and Philadelphia today for the annual "Society" flower show tonight at the home of Edson Bradley for a local charity. Mrs. Marshall Field and Mrs. George Vanderbilt will lead minuets in fancy costumes.

INOCULATE SOIL BEFORE SEEDING

MADISON, Wis., March 82.—Except where the soil is very rich and well drained, or on land where sweet clover grows luxuriantly, fields which the farmer is intending to sow to alfalfa should be inoculated with alfalfa bacteria, says Prof. R. A. Moore of the University of Wisconsin College of Agriculture. On very rich and well drained soil, the alfalfa may grow without inoculation, although in that case the alfalfa takes it nitrogen from the soil instead of from the air. Wherever sweet clover grows abundantly, alfalfa will be inoculated naturally, as the sweet clover bacteria are the same as those of alfalfa. Where there is any doubt as to the presence of the alfalfa bacteria, soil from an old alfalfa or a sweet clover field may be used. For best results one ton of earth per acre should be scattered over the new field, immediately preceding the sowing of the alfalfa seed.

Several firms are advertising for sale pure cultures of inoculating bacteria for alfala but tests carried on at the College of Agriculture show too much uncertainty at the present time, to warrant the purchase of these cultures at the current rate. Where the soil is acid, an application of two tons of ground lime rock, or one-half ton of hardwood ashes will materially help in getting a good catch of alfalfa.

A private knocker is a public nuisance.

MILLIONS WASTED BY PENAL SYSTEM

Need to Reform Treatment of Prisoners Urged from Experience with Thousands

CHICAGO, March 28. — Nearly 100,000 lives wasted and $30,000,000 lost annually through the present penal system of the country is due, according to figures compiled by the Central Howard association which aids released and paroled prisoners from penitentiaries of the country, to the lack of encouragement, inspiration and education of the prisoners. The remedy advocated is more pay, and employment of better men, for guards and wardens. The experience gained from aiding over nine thousand men during the last twelve years has shown that the country at large is cutting off its one means of making good citizens of prisoners by trying "to reform the wrong man."

This view also is expressed by Warden James D, Reid of the Indiana penitentiary at Michigan City, and others in charge of prisons. Warden Reid has written to the Central Howard association's headquarters in Chicago: "It has been found that reformation of the guards is one of the prerequisites of good results, quite as it has been found necessary to reform the prison conditions. The lockstep, the prison stripes, the shaved head, the ball and chain, the bread and water diet, all these and their like happily are passing away but there are some things left which ought to go."

In a report made by Superintendent F. Emory Lyon of the Central Howard association in which he commented upon the fact that the aid of prisoners had enabled them to earn and save to society a sum 89 times as great as the work had cost, he declared: "Only when wardens of our penal institutions are men chosen not because of political pull, but because they are noble enough and generous enough to be their brother's keeper, will the ex-convict return to society not as a new menace to it but as a member of it. Wherever men have been restored to themselves the strongest factor in reclaiming them has been, not the laws made by competent jurists, but by the personal influence of the wardens themselves. The greatest power in transforming any wrecked and shattered manhood is the inspiring example of another strong, true life and what the state has not been able to no, under existing system, individual men have accomplished.

"In these days the chief discussion of the National Prison congress is the rehabilitation of the convict for after looking upon the prison first as a means of revenge and then as a measure of determent the accepted theory today is the reformation of the prisoner. With over 100,000 men entering prison annually, 90 per cent of whom emerge as the problem of society, the experience gained by the Central Howard work has shown that if the prisoners were taught a trade and given encouragement and aid when released, the return to crime would be far less and the cost for prisons thereby reduced by a huge sum annually, the savings of the restored men being also a sum approximately of $30,000,000 if the saving of men actually aided be used as basis for computing the aggregate."

SHAKERS TO DEPART

ENFIELD, Conn., March 28.—With the spiritual fortitude that is the backbone of their faith, the little band of Shakers living in the colony founded here in 1792, is today sorrowfully completing preparations for an exodus. Depleted in numbers and with no prospect of gaining a sufficient number of converts to continue the remaining members of this quaint settlement, having found themselves unable to continue the operation of their million dollar property consisting of many workshops and 900 acres of farm lands, are about to depart for the Mother church settlement at Mount Lebanon, Columbia County, New York.

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TRY AEROPLANE GUN

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A new aeroplane gun, declared to be the most powerful in the world, will soon be tested out at Sandy Hook Proving Ground. It fires a six pound projectile filled with one of the highest explosives known. It can be aimed at an elevation of 70 degrees. So terrific is the force driving the shell that when leaving the muzzle of the gun it has a velocity of 2,700 feet per second.

Because of a peculiar curve taken in the air by a shell it is necessary to arrange sights to automatically allow for the curve. In the complicated sights of this gun the variation caused by each degree of heat from the sun, each breath of air, the height and distance of the aeroplane is provided for.

The litter shell is filled with high explosive gelatine which scatters with terrific force, small bullets in all directions. The charge is exploded by a small pin dislodged by compact with the canvas wings of the aeroplane.

PROBE RATE DECISION

TALLAHASSEE, Fla., March 28.—The ques the state ra ducing rates are reasona day by Spec of the inte sion, in a d Coast Line

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ing, authorized by N. C. Bacheller, 25 to be paid.

POINTS TO INCOMPETENCE AND N PRESENT ADMINISTRATION

and Subversion of Funds Heap Burden on Taxpayers

nce of a candidate for Mayor to invite the attention s city to some of the problems that must be settled stration.

is not my desire to disparage the motives or in- ent. It is rather a question as to who is best equip- affairs of this city, as they should be conducted. or the citizens and voters of La Crosse is who as a give them the best administration?

ore called the attention of our people to the fact work now in process of execution, we ought to xpert knowledge in building lines and financial mat- and system of water works in this city was set- mmon council, or executive of La Crosse, but by the sion. The order of that commission was imperative arded by our local legislative body.

ers have a right to know whether the work of con- steps leading up to it have been and are conducted nd economical manner, and according to law. I de- to a few particulars where the element of economy of, and that could easily have been avoided.

ce, in the issuance of the first allotment of water ting to $250,000, which were sold to Farson-Leach he city received approximately $8,700 less than ect violation of a charter provision which explicitly nds shall be sold less than par. In explanation it he bonds were sold for par, but that $8,700 was h & Company for printing the bonds and attor- ning into the legality of the bonds. If this claim ontend that there is no warrant in law for the pay- y's fees, and moreover, that the sum paid is so to amount to wanton waste. The fact probably is rder to evade the charter provision above referred it is unwarranted, and should not have been tol-

which the attention of the citizens should be hat approximately $10,000 was expended without test return therefor, in preliminaries that could The largest item of this is the sum of $4,000 paid r plans and specifications that were never used, and en submitted to an expert in building lines, would dopted. The remainder of the $10,000 was expended d valueless experimentations.

ion it may be said that at the time when this sum sted, and since then the administration deliberately of Public Works and City Engineer, and attempted their power, and have their functions performed by e Common Council, that was wholly ignorant of en- struction work. I will say unhesitatingly that I re- gineer, George Bradish, as a man of ability, and ab- d one who has been singularly devoted to the public en taken into the confidence of the administra- inary work, this sum or a large part of it could

urther said in this connection that had it not s and activity of our local engineer, and busi- meetings and objecting to the Maltby plans, we thousands of dollars in carrying out the same, sse would have had foisted upon it a worth- everlasting detriment and future welfare of our

tion of the public to the further fact that a rea- ination of the estimates submitted for the cost of the works now in process of execution, will ex- ppropriated and now on hand and which the city is ewhat over $21,000, and that such sum, and other e met by bonds in addition to the bonds already the work immediately in hand. I cannot of in this statement, but have attempted to point where the tenets of careful financiering have not

a primary duty of a Mayor to so familiarize him- al affairs of the city that he has the same knowl- have of his private business. Moreover, that it Mayor as a charter obligation, to see that the t diverted from the purposes contemplated by ng the past administration the sum of $30,000 , was taken from the sinking fund and placed e up the total of the general budget, and to be unicipal purposes. The aim and object of the nd is to keep it sacred and inviolable and t of the bonds as they become due. Any muni- permitted to divest this fund is dangerous to rsisted in, is followed by drastic consequences. sse during the last administration has reached oint. We are bonded up to the limit permitted d our tax rate is approximately up to the maxi- arter. We are compelled by order of the Railway nd for an additional $30,000 for a viaduct and water works account heretofore mentioned. gency arise, and this is within the realm of pos- gity, the city will have to resort to unbusiness- g its obligations. It is an inexcusable practice r ta borrow to the limit, and it is more reprehensible n "Try a municipality.

ave se to so adjust our finances that we will again she safety between our indebtedness and the bonded lem w.

llloral atmosphere of this city, particularly as it obtains el, I unhesitatingly say, after inquiry and investiga- ent improvement has taken place. I unhesitatingly say e done by intelligent action to make material improve- line. It is not necessary to resort to legislative meas- ish this, but to enforce existing laws.

charged that if elected I would order the so-called red opened. In this regard let me say that I expect to obey of Wisconsin in this respect as in every other, and no that kind will be made.

ll be my aim if elected Mayor, to give the people of this city of my experience in municipal affairs, and to improve its ditions as well as all other municipal activities.

espectfully,

ORI J. SORENSEN.

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to express my sin- kindnesses shown ds and neighbors bereavement, caused my beloved wife,

AMES VRCHOTA.

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N, Ind., March 28.— elieved to have per- when the trestle at miles west of Wash- Baltimore & ine drawing a

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LIST OF KNOWN DEAD AT DAYTON

George Morganthaler, Warren and Vine streets; J. N. Haverstick, manager the Bell Telephone company; L. C. Haupt, police captain and three children; Mrs. Collins and child; Lillie Eichman, 31, Bolton street; Mrs. Schmidt, and daughter, Mrs. Bond; body of unknown girl, aged 12; Anton Shartle, Vine street, near Main; Mrs. Carrie Schuntz, Vine street, near Main; Mrs. Thompson, Burns street; George Richardson, Wayne and Heart streets; Smiley Cupp, Jr.; Jesse Wallace, 105 Montgomery street; Ethel Eiderman, Richards and Eagle streets; Bessie Moseley, negress; John Connell, negro; Mrs. Abel, 35, Burns street; Mrs. Lillian Tingley, 44; two unknown babies; Mrs. Schunck, John F. Garbaer, Arthur Slat; — Goetchall, Ollie Seattle, Patrolman Willet, Carl Deuer, 65; Mrs. Tree; unidentified bodies man and a woman; woman and child; two unidentified men; unidentified young woman; Miss Bohn, 40; Mrs. Lucy Abel, 70; body unidentified woman, 60; unidentified girl, 7 years old; body identified as Christian Heberle, 35; bodies of nine unidentified men taken from near Ohio Foundry company's plant; body of young man 24 years old.

Every gold brick peddler is sure the world owes him a living.

REFUGEES RELATE THRILLING TALES

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hours began slowly to unfold today. The refugees from Columbus, worn by their experiences, reached this city on two trains, bringing stories of suffering and hardships seldom equalled. They told graphic stories of men, women and children dying, trapped in their homes while would-be rescuers were forced to watch, unable to do anything toward rescuing the dying.

W. B. Kirkpatrick, legislative representative of Trumbull county, and J. C. Cooper of Mahoning Co., pieced together a picture that brought into bold relief the happenings in the capital, even though they agreed that the estimates of the dead had been exaggerated. Said Kirkpatrick:

Old Bridge Stands

"Only one bridge remained intact in Columbus when we left there late last night. It is the Rich street structure, the oldest in the city and one that has been condemned for years. The work of rescue has been systemized. Boats are being sent through the flooded district. As fast as the people are taken from their uninhabitable homes they are rushed to the city hall and registered.

"Last night I saw a mother and her seven children, the eldest 11, the youngest three months, brought into the hall so faint from exposure and lack of food they could hardly stand. They had not heard from their husband and father since the storm broke.

"Whoever was responsible for the wild rumor that the Columbus storage dam had broken on Wednesday afternoon may have been responsible for several deaths from fright alone. We were in a picture show when suddenly the film stopped, then the light went out and the cry that the dam had broken was set up.

"When I reached the street people were running in all directions. Half dressed women from the resorts on Front street, were scattered through the crowd. Some carried bird cages, others had pet dogs under their arms. One saloonkeeper with his cash register in his arms took refuge in the dome of the state house. Fifty horses from a livery stable were turned loose in the street and dashed through the crowd.

"Just before I left Columbus, Governor Cox received a message from Dayton telling him that all that was wanted there was coffins and food."

Horse Helpless

S. C. Randall, a Big Four trainman, said:

"One thing that stands out in my memory was the sight of a man on horseback floating down the river absolutely unable to stem the fast rushing current. The water came so fast that men on the east side who started to give the alarm failed to reach the bridges before they were swept from their foundations. Loaded freight cars were tossed on the top of the rushing waters like corks. Factory buildings were undermined and collapsed. A West Spring street car with passengers on board, was caught on the east side of the Spring street bridge. The car was swept against a building and the passengers clambered through a window to safety. None was drowned.

"Two women frantically waved for rescue from the upper windows of a house that was carried down stream, but the rescue boats could not overcome the current and the women were carried away.

"One youth in a frail skiff rescued thirty persons on West Spring street, and was so exhausted by his efforts that he collapsed in the arms of a friend as he completed his last trip. The worst of the damage seemed to me to be along Central avenue.

Ready to Appropriate More

Representative John G. Cooper stated that the state legislature is prepared to make a second appropriation of $250,000 should the money be needed. He praised the work of the governor, which, he said has saved many lives and prevented much greater suffering.

C. F. Barton, a Pittsburg traveling man, declared he saw persons who had been swept into a tree top slowly succumb to the intense cold and drop one by one to death yesterday.

"First to collapse was a man," said Barton. "Then two women and a man fell. Their position was such that rescue boats which strove desperately to reach them, were tossed out of reach. At last the tree was cleared of its human freight with the exception of a thinly clad mother, frantically clasping her baby. The sight drove the watchers in their places of safety frantic, and at last, by almost superhuman endeavor, a boat was swung under the tree just as the mother dropped into the water. The baby was dead in the mother's arms from exposure, but the mother clung to it until a policeman tenderly forced her to unloosen her grasp and she was taken to the hospital."

Nine Die at Coshocton

A telephone message from Coshocton, Ohio, says that nine lives were lost there. Mrs. Ed Hawley and her baby were swept away while following her husband, who was wading to safety with their other two children. John Volkmer, his wife and their two children with three others whose names have not been learned refused to leave their homes and were drowned when the house collapsed.

Elkton reported that forty-two children were penned in a school house that is entirely surrounded by the flood. Food was sent to them by boat and they will be taken out when the flood recedes.

A Mansfield dispatch said that the Pennsylvania railroad pile driver in operation at Lakeville was overturned today. There were twenty workmen on the float, but it is not known whether all escaped.

AVIATOR KILLED

PARIS, March 28.—Lieut. Brasser, an aviator, fell 1,000 feet to his death near Verdun today when the motor of his aeroplane exploded.

MISS PATTEE TO GO TO CHICAGO

La Crosse Visiting School Nurse Accepts Position with Chicago Telephone Company

Miss Alice Pattee, for more than a year employed as visiting school nurse in this city, today accepted an offer of employment as nurse by the Chicago Telephone company and will leave for that city Monday noon. Her resignation was accepted by the permanent committee on tuberculosis at a meeting last night but no arrangements for her successor in this city have been made. Miss Pattee's work has taken her into all the schools and nearly all of the homes of La Crosse and her efficient service and thoughtful attention to the children will make her leaving a matter of regret to the parents and children of the city. Her new position with the Chicago Telephone company is a distinct advancement and puts her in line for better situations.

Miss Pattee came here from the Chicago health department Feb. 1, 1912, on the recommendation of Dr. J. M. Furstmann, health commissioner.

RUMBAUGH GOES TO BE WITH PARENTS

Park Store Ad Man Leaves for Wabash, Ind., Fourteen Miles Above Peru

L. C. Rumbaugh, advertising manager of the Park store, left today for Wabash, Ind., after several vain attempts to communicate with or get any word to his parents in that flood-surrounded town. The city is about fourteen miles north of Peru, which suffered the hardest of any Indiana city. Mr. Rumbaugh feels but little anxiety over his parents' safety, but says that if reports as to the conditions at Wabash are correct, the greater portion of his home city is destroyed, as a large part of it is even lower than Peru.

Some idea of the height of water in the Wabash River valley may be gained from a statement by Mr. Rumbaugh this morning. He said:

"Peru is built upon a hill the slope of which is about the same from the river as the slope of Main street here from Fourth and Main Streets to the river. I would judge that it is at least fifty feet above the Wabash river at normal stage."

CALL OFF OHIO DINNER

NEW YORK, March 28.—Because of the tragedy in their native state officers of the New York Ohio society today called off the dinner scheduled for next Wednesday and issued an appeal to its members for contributions to the relief fund.

MAGNATES HELP SUFFERERS

WASHINGTON, March 28.—John D. Rockefeller and Henry C. Frick today sent the Red Cross society checks for $5,000 and $10,000 respectively for the flood relief fund. Miss Mabel Boardman, chairman of the relief board stated that she might personally go to Columbus, Ohio, to co-operate with Gov. Cox.

GARY GIVES $1,000

GARY, Ind., March 28.—Gary citizens today wired $500 to Governor Ralston of Indiana and $500 to Governor Cox of Ohio for the relief of flood sufferers. The money was raised at a mass meeting last night. A citizens' committee today pledged itself to collect $10,00 more and the city council will appropriate $1,000.

VRCHOTA FUNERAL

The funeral of Mrs. Lena Vrchota which was held this morning from the home, 1317 South Front street, at 10 o'clock was largely attended. Rev. H. Andrews officiated. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

There was once a man who kissed a girl unexpectedly and then begged her pardon, but he was no great success with the women.

The fool imagines that the world is laughing with him when it laughs at him.

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E. M. WING ATTENDS HEARING ON TAX

Says Senate Bill Is Not Fair to Banks; Personal Property Offset Not Allowed

Banks of Wisconsin are not trying to obtain a reduction in their taxes but are opposed to the higher taxation proposed in the state tax commission bill 855 which was discussed at a hearing before a senate committee in Madison yesterday, according to a statement made by E. M. Wing, vice president of the Batavian National bank of La Crosse today. Mr. Wing returned from Madison today where he appeared before the committee as a member of the Wisconsin Bankers' association legislative committee.

"The tax commission bill proposes to amend the income tax law to assess stockholders of national and state banks alike on their dividends," said Mr. Wing, "but also proposes to take away the privilege of offsetting this tax with the personal property assessment. Merchants and manufacturers have the right to offset their income assessments with personal property tax receipts and the bankers can see no reason they should not be accorded the same right."

Mr. Wing also attended the hearing on the "blue sky" bill which was held before the committee on corporations yesterday. Senator Otto Bosshard of La Crosse, is chairman of this committee. The blue sky bill is intended to place a curb on wild cat stocks and bonds issues and to protect the investors in securities of all kinds. Several railroad attorneys appeared at this hearing.

Flood Bulletins

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., March 28.—Light and transportation facilities are paralyzed and business is at a standstill here on account of the flood conditions. The stage of the river is at 31 feet 6 inches. Street cars suspended operation yesterday, and the gas and electric light plants are out of commission. Four thousand persons are homeless and the flood is spreading. Many reports of fatalities are received, but confirmation is impossible.

At least ten persons are known to have been drowned at Howesville, twenty-five miles south on Eel river. Boats from Linton today are picking up survivors.

EVANSVILLE, Ind., March 28.—The Wabash river flood has passed Terre Haute, leaving behind death and pestilence, and was expected to join here tonight with the Ohio overflow in the worst flood of local history.

Warnings have been flashed everywhere and boats are plying to and from danger zones removing the inhabitants. People are being brought here from the Kentucky bottoms. The city and the charity organizations have laid comprehensive plans for caring for the refugees. Loss of life here is not expected, but enormous damage to property is certain to be done.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—S. K. Mitchell, superintendent of the Ohio Electric railway at Zanesville, today got to a telephone pole four miles west of the flooded city, climbed it, attached an instrument to the wires and sent Gov. Cox the first authentic information from the Muskingum river city.

"We have enough food for only twenty-four hours," Mitchell wired. "Loss of life in the Seventh and Eighth wards is heavy. All of the city west of Main street is under water, which extends back from the river three miles on the national road."

DANVILLE, Ill., March 28.—Telephonic communication was established with Clinton, Ind., today. The first message over the wire said that 500 persons are homeless, half a dozen missing and that an epidemic of smallpox and measles has broken out.

Edward Burkhart of Danville was drowned today by the capsizing of a boat. His two companions escaped Bridges south of Danville on the Chicago & Eastern Illinois are out and fifty persons are stranded here unable to reach their homes.

SEND PIQUA RELIEF

TOLEDO, Ohio, March 28.—The first relief train to Piqua that the Toledo relief committee has been able to dispatch, was sent out Friday at noon over the Wabash, Grand Rapids & Indiana and Vandalia railroads. Commercial Agent Hopkins of the Wabash has received assurances that relief parties can get into Piqua by this route.

FOLLMER FUNERAL TODAY

The funeral services of J. C. Follmer were held this morning from the Miller Brother's chapel. Rev. Henry Faville officiated. The pall bearers were Judge John Brindley, W. B. Tscharner, W. E. Barker, C. E. Looney, John Freehoff and B. F. Keeler. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

SCHLAFER RESIGNS

William C. Schlafer, three years manager of the Paulson Shoe company, resigned this morning. Mr. Schlafer plans to take a vacation of three weeks or a month around La Crosse, and then to move to Vancouver, B. C., or some other point in the northwest.

ILLINOIS RIVER FLOODS

BEARDSTOWN, Ill., March 28—With the Illinois river at flood stage and the water steadily rising, this city is preparing to fight an unprecedented freshet. Cellars and low portions of the town are already filled with water. Railroad traffic has not yet been hampered.

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A Frontier Western.

"The Man Higher Up"

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Mack's Picture Show

LA CROSSE THEATER

HAMILTON DEAD MAY REACH 500

HAMILTON, Ohio, March 28.—When rescue workers gathered today for further exploration of the flood ruins of Hamilton, the dead were estimated at from 100 to 500.

Fifty bodies have been identified.

There are hundreds still unaccounted for, and many reports of persons declared by eye witnesses to have perished.

Piles of debris filled the streets, and it is reasonable to suppose that beneath these and the wreckage of all kinds of buildings there will be found many bodies.

Damage Five Millions

Conservative business men today placed the property damage at $5,000,000. The water has largely receded.

Albert Bramladge, assistant superintendent of the Metropolitan Insurance company, said:

"Hamilton is a city of horrors. Hundreds are dead. Safety Director David Dearmond told me the death toll would be 1,500 in Hamilton and surrounding towns and county.

"I was one of 800 who were caught in the Rentschler building. Later I managed to reach the Schlosser residence, a half mile nearer home in South Hamilton. There for two days twenty of us lived on crackers. I saw one man cling to an iron fence about a park for two days before he fell back into the flood. I saw the bodies of babies and children floating in the streets."

PERU RELIEVED AND DEATH LIST DROPS

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refugees have begun to return to their homes. The relief work is splendidly in hand and no outside assistance is required.

SOCIALIST LECTURE

The third lecture in the lecture course which is being given by the local branch of the socialists will be given at the old Y. M. C. A. hall tonight, L. F. Fuller of Girard, Kan., speaking on the topic, "What the Socialists Want." The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock and will be of special interest to ladies who are cordially invited to attend.

WHO'LL BE WHO IF SORENSEN WINS

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during a series of meetings held at the Jefferson Hotel.

It is no secret about the Jefferson that this talk has been current, although no one admits that Mr. Sorensen authorizes it. Mr. Hall says that the talk of Kohn for the commission is insistent and is backed by the alderman's friends.

Mr. Bacheller, who is a widely known contractor, former postmaster and a factor in local politics since the years when he was closely allied with Ellis B. Usher, said today that he did not know that he was "slated" for chief of police, but that he would not take the job.

Not For N. C.

"There isn't a man in La Crosse who can run fast enough to hand me that package," said "Bach" in his always picturesque way. "I've been a fireman. There's only one worse job, and that's being a policeman. If the chief of police sat in a golden chair and wore a uniform made out of $1,000 bills I'd borrow two bits from a cab driver to buy breakfast before I'd take the office."

Hall The Latest

Of course that settled the Bacheller story, but in running it to ground reporters got a new lead. It is that George Hall may be made chief of police in case of Mr. Sorensen's election. To this some of Sorensen's friends say he intends to get an out of town man, and others declare that he will keep Chief Webber.

Ori Out of City

Reporters on Mr. Sorensen's trail today were disappointed by the information that the candidate is in Aurora, Ill. Mr. Sorensen will return this evening.

MURDERED MAN IS BURIED AT LA CROSSE

The funeral of W. A. Darling who was shot to death in Minneapolis on Sunday was held today at 12:30 from the Oak Grove cemetery chapel, under the auspices of the Wilson-Colwell grand army post. The pall bearers were: Mr. Pope, John Desmond, Esther Lawrence, Theodore Hauser, and Edward Cronon. Professor Hardy read the ritual and John M. Holley made the prayer. Interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

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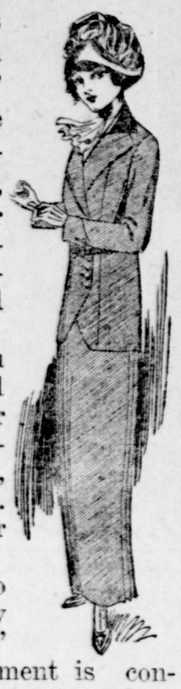
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DECISION GIVES STATE MILLIONS

St. Louis River Boundary Decision Reversed and Wisconsin Gets Big Chunk of Land

SUPERIOR, Wis., March 28.—Real and personal property worth milions of dollars, which has commonly been considered as located in Minnesota and which has been taxed in that state, is placed in Wisconsin and becomes subject to the laws of this state, if the construction placed here upon a decision just handed down by the United States circuit court of appeals at St. Louis is sustained by the detailed findings to be embraced in the opinion. The decision is a reversal of a decision of Judge Page Morris in the United States Circuit court at Duluth, in February, 1912, and involves points at issue in the boundary dispute between the two states as to the line in the St. Louis river at the twin ports.

Judge Morris ruled in the case of the George W. Norton estate, against R. B. Whiteside and others, that the government, because of its paramount jurisdiction over navigable waters, had the right to change the channel of the river by dredging a new one some distance from the original or natural channel and that the boundary followed the channel center when it was the dividing line of the properties of the two parties to the action.

Mr. Norton owned the Minnesota bank of the river and Mr. Whiteside holds a large island on the Wisconsin side of both the old and new channels, together with property on the Wisconsin side of the old channel, but on the Minnesota side of the new one. It is the latter which Mr. Norton claimed through his ownership of the Minnesota bank of the river.

VADIDATE CITY BONDS

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The state senate at a short session last night passed under suspension of the rules a committee bill designed to validate an issue of bonds issued by the city of Manitowoc to purchase a public utility, which was invalid because of a technicval defect.

ACCIDENT IS VERDICT

CHICAGO, March 28.—That Clinton S. Woolfolk, president of the Five Million Dollar Realty Realization company, and prominent clubman, met death accidentally was the verdict of the coroner's jury. Woolfolk was found dead on the floor of his home with a bullet through his head yesterday.

DISASTER RUMOR FALSE.

AKRON, O., March 28.—A report that the town of Boston Mills, eight miles north of this city, was overwhelmed by the bursting of a dam early today with heavy loss of life, is unture. Half a dozen houses were demolished, but all had been vacated and there were no fatalities.

Devonshire Terrace.

Dickens was twenty-seven years old when in 1839 he moved from Doughty street to Devonshire terrace. George du Maurier lived for some years in 1 Devonshire terrace. In this celebrated house Dickens wrote no fewer than ten of his books—"The Old Curiosity Shop," "Barnaby Rudge," "The Christmas Carol," "American Notes," "Martin Chuzzlewit," "The Haunted Man," "The Battle of Life," "Dombey and Son," "The Cricket on the Hearth" and "David Copperfield." Devonshire terrace was situated at the corner of the Marylebone road and used to be called the smallest terrace in London.—London Standard

DEBATE LIMIT BILL

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The five-mile limit bill for Madison was debated before a packed house in the assembly chamber last night.

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"U" GLEE CLUB CONCERT FRIDAY

Fine Entertainment to Be Given by University Musicians at the High School

Many people of the city and villages surrounding La Crosse are looking forward to the concert to be given in the high school auditorium by the University of Wisconsin Glee club on Friday night, April 4. The musical clubs of the university invade this section of the state every year and always have a good program to present to the many people who always attend. The proceeds of this concert will be for the benefit of the "Booster," the official high school paper. It is planned to use the money thus derived toward making the Booster Annual one of the best high school annuals in the country.

The reputation established by the Glee club is not only state wide but it is well known and in demand all over the middle west. So far this season the organization has given concerts at St. Louis, Milwaukee, Chicago and many cities throughout the state. They plan on going to Winona from here to give a concert there and then they have many engagements to fill in the northern part of the state.

The concert given in this city last year by the club was the musical treat of the season. In connection with the Glee club there is a mandolin club of great merit and the music rendered by the two clubs together cannot be surpassed. The clubs do not limit themselves only to choruses but they have solo work and the ever popular quartets. The Crew Song sung by the Glee club last year is still being hummed by many who heard it. And the vaudeville stunt put on showing the life of the average college student was far above anything seen on the legitimate stage here.

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RECOMMEND BILL TO END BAWDIES

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—(Special.)—The Linley bill, which declares that all premises used for the purpose of lewdness, assignation or prostitution are a nuisance and gives the attorney general, any district attorney or any citizen an action in equity in the name of the state to enjoin the operation of the same, was recommended for passage by the senate judiciary committee Thursday afternoon.

This is one of the most sweeping measures attempting to reach the social evil ever introduced in this or any other legislature. Not only are the premises so used declared a nuisance but the furniture, fixaures, musical instruments and in fact all contents of such a building are made subject to sale on execution under laws now governing the sale of chattels. An injunction secured in the name of the state is under the proposed law made binding upon any defendant to such an action, in any part of the state.

The Economic View.

"What good are you anyhow?" roared the exasperated father.

"What good am I?" retorted the lad. "Why, dad, I'm a consumer, and I'd like to know what would become of the farmers if there weren't any consumers!"

And the old man went out into the barn and thrashed the wheat within an inch of its life.—Harper's Weekly.

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TOMAH, WIS.

The high school basketball team closed their season Wednesday night when they won from the Galesville quintet by the largest score of the season which was 72 to 12. The game needs no explanation as the boys had the field to themselves. The "big" game between the faculty and seniors was the most exciting during the year, which the teachers won easily by a combination of football, pugilism and a little basketball, the score being 20 to 7. Ralph Griswold, better known as "spot," who is captain of the team, played his last game. He has been one of the most important factors of the basketball teams in the Tomah high school for the past three years and his services both in basket shooting and floor work will be missed, next year but we are lucky to have four left.

Leo Felton of Warrens is spending the week with his sister, Mrs. Wallace Fish on McLean avenue.

State high school Inspector Ferry spent Wednesday at the Tomah high school. In the afternoon he gave a favorable report and also a forty minute talk to the pupils which was very much enjoyed.

Edwin Grey returned to his home in Richland Center Wednesday after visiting at the home of his uncle, Mr. Bert Grey, on Brownell street.

Mrs. William A. Hovey of Milwaukee is visiting her parents on McLean avenue.

Officials of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad spent Thursday in this city looking over the verious shops here.

The track team will be the next thing of importance but it will not begin until after vacation.

A pretty home wedding took place Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Bakehouse, about six miles south of the city, when their youngest daughter, Alma, was united in marriage to Mr. Leo Neas. Rev. F. E. Voges of the Ridgeville German Lutheran church officiated. The bride was attended by her sister, Sophie Bakehouse, and his sister, Anna Neas, and the groomsman was Arnold Van Haden and Alvin Summerfield. Only the relatives and a few immediate friends were present.

Herbert Smith of the University of Wisconsin, Gordon Smith of St. Pohn's Military academy of Delafield and Miss Agnes Smith of Kemper Hall, Kenosha, are spending their vacation at the home of their parents, Rev. and Mrs. James W. Smith, on Kilbourne avenue.

At the junior debate held in the high school assembly room on the commission form of government for cities of 20,000 or more population, the affirmative was upheld by Russell Winters, Lucy Lemrow, Ralph Betthauser, Luella Reynolds, Kathryn Gleiss; the negative, John Bettsauser, Gladys Kuckuk, Alma Chapman, William Zimmerman and Hertha Krueger. The judges were Miss Rice, Miss Christopher and Miss Kiefer, who decided unanimously in favor of the affirmative.

Mr. Chester Biglow, junior member of the Biglow and Son garage, met with a very painful accident which might have been very serious.. Tuesday afternoon Mr. Biglow was using the emery wheel in the garage when it burst, a portion of it flying up and striking him just above the eye and making a large gash in his forehead. Medical aid was summoned and he resumed his work Thursday.

Parents' day has been postponed from March 20 to April 4.

Wasted Holiday Fare.

An English lad went to visit his two Scotch cousins last summer during his vacation. His breakfast every morning consisted of plain oatmeal and he became thoroughly tired of it. One morning when he felt that he could endure it no longer he said:

"Say, Freddy, don't you ever have milk with your porridge?"

Freddy turned to his brother and grinned. "Eh, James," he said, "the lad thinks it's Christmas."—Everybody's.

No man worthy of the name likes to live on charity.

Free Orchestra Concert Saturday Afternoon and Evening



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Waxit

Saturday we have arranged a free practical demonstration of "WAXIT," the celebrated cleaning and polish cream.

This preparation is nationally known, the only reliable, never failing polish and cleaner, for pianos, furniture, woodwork, floors and finished surfaces generally.

Don't fail to see this free demonstration tomorrow only — Basement.

To Our North Side Customers

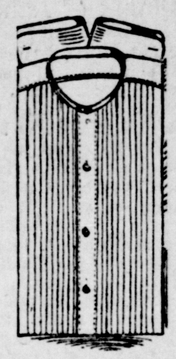
For the benefit of our North Side customers, we announce every Saturday we shall make a special delivery to the North Side, at 4 P. M. Purchases for this delivery may be made up to 3:45 o'clock.

Luncheonette Menu

NOON LUNCH	SUPPER 5 TO 7:30
Vegetable Soup	Meat Loaf
Mashed Potatoes	Pork and Beef Roast
Combination Salad	Combination Salad
Veal and Beef Roast	Fresh Strawberry Sundaes
Lima Beans	Creamed & Mashed Potatoes
Home made Pies and Strawberry Shortcake	Cabbage Salad

Men's Spring Shirts 59c

New spring striped effects in men's high grade Shirts, made with soft detachable collar; all seams are welted and double stitched. Double French cuffs and coat style. Try to duplicate the values anywhere at



59c

Men's Overalls at 42c

Good weight, fast dyed blue denim bib overalls, made in good full size, welt seamed and double stitched. Two front pockets and one hip pocket. Saturday, not more than 2 pair to a customer, per pair **42c**

FRESH CANDIES
Salted Peanuts, Cream Dates, Coco Flakes, per pound **10c**

VASOLENE
Full 1 pound jar Vaseline, Saturday only— **10c**

Free Demonstration Batavia Canned Goods

Beginning Monday and all Next Week, through the courtesy of the "Batavia" canning factories, we will serve free samples of the celebrated line of canned goods to every one visiting our grocery department.

Handkerchiefs
3 women's cross barred handkerchiefs **5c**

SHEETING
Best unbleached 76 inch Sheeting, Saturday, yard— **17½c**

Men's and Wsmen's Lighter Weight UNDERWEAR



For Women

This season as usual we are featuring the celebrated 'Athena" and "Mentor" brands which need no word to women who seek the best qualities and fit in underwear.

Women's Vests of excellent workmanship and value, priced at **8c, 10c, 12½c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 39c & 49c.**

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Men, who desire union suits, we especially recommend the "Globe."

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For tomorrow's selling we offer three splendid lots.

Lot 1
Includes Proxaline Braid and pressed shapes in Turbans, Balkans and Coach styles, regular $4 values, choice Saturday **$2.48**

Lot 2
Includes a beautiful assortment of Tubans, Balkans, Coach and Napoleon styles, trimmed with Bulgarian ribbon and Nuimide feathers, regular values up to $6.00. Choice Saturday— **$3.98**

Lot 3
Includes Turbans, New Mushroom Sailors, Coach and Balkan styles, trimmed with Bulgarian ribbons, Nuimide feathers, and flowers; regular values up to $10. Choice Saturday— **$4.98**

CLOTHING For The BOY

Our close relations with factories enable us to make prices on Boys' Clothing we are sure are not equaled, quality considered. Suits for all ages, in serges, worsted, tweeds, mixtures, linen, duck, etc. We draw special attention to a few leading values.

Norfolk Suits

The season's most popular style for boys, and at the price we offer these, are beyond comparison. Material in blue serges, fancy gray, brown and mixtures, and every thread all wool. Pants are knickerbocker style, made full peg top, with belt straps and loops. While we show suits much cheaper and others up to $10—if you are looking for a good stylish suit that will give unlimited wear for your boy, we especially recommend this value at only



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Boys' Blouses

Exceeding attractive perfect fitting blouses for boys, in medium and dark materials, plain or with fancy stripes. Ages 7 to 16 years. Most unusual values, priced at **25c**

Children'sRompers

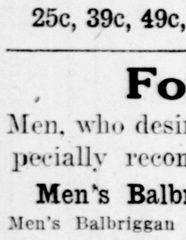
All styles in low neck and short sleeves,—some with collars and long sleeves. Made in a variety of colors, and all sizes 2 to 7 years. Priced up to $2.98, but we have an excellent quality at **49c**

HOUSEFURNISHING BARGAINS

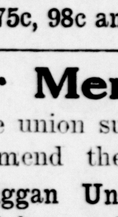
Household supplies, used in every home every day, featured Saturday at prices no economical housekeeper should fail to take advantage of.

TEA SPOONS
6 German silver plated tea spoons, in gray or plain patterns, Saturday for **23c**

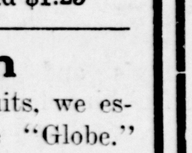
MIXING BOWLS
Handsomely decorated and glazed 8, 9, 10 mixing bowls, actually worth 10c to 20c, Saturday **5c**



39c
For Cobbler's Outfit, complete set of tools to mend your old shoes.



79c
For 50 lb. Flour Can — japanned, hinge cover, stenciled.



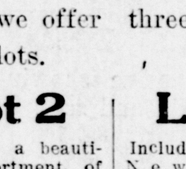
74c
For heavy copper bottom Wash Boiler — large size, with cover.



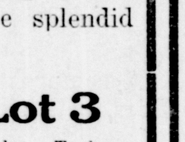
$1.25
For all willow square Clothes Hamper, with wood bottom.



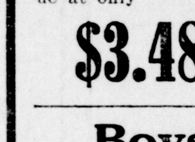
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For 6 or 8 qt. all white and white Enameled Ware, best quality.



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For heavy galvanized Wash Tub, reegular family size.



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For Bread Raiser, 14 qt. size, made of heavy blocked tin.



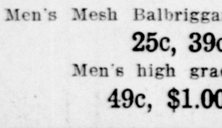
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For Folding Ironing Board, with stand, made of best poplar wood.



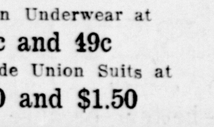
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For splendid Food Chopper, with self-sharpening blade



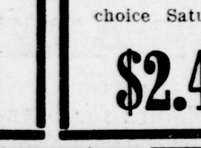
69c
For Family Scale, can weigh 25 lbs. strictly accurate.



69c
For Curtain Stretcher, with best nickel plated pins, full size.



21c
For Razor Strop — horse hide leather, full size.



7c
For Stone Chamber, decorated or plain white, large size.



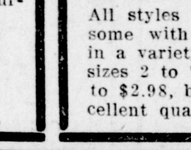
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For Toilet Paper Holder, nickle plated finish; hold any size roll.

39c
For Jardenier and Pedestal, nicely mottled and glazed — choice of six different blends

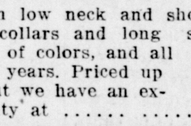
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For covered Crock, with bail, 3 or 5 lb. size.



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For Glass Berry Bowl, 8 inch size, colonial pattern.



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For 6 Water Tumblers — colonial pattern, ground bottom.

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SPORT NEWS

TRIUMPHS IN ENDURANCE RUNS



MARGARET M. LAWLER

"No one can ever imagine the fun and sport of a motorcycle until they have ridden one," says Miss Margaret Lawler, of Kenosha, Wis.

Although only 17 years old, Miss Lawler is an enthusiastic motorcyclist and spends a great deal of time on her motorcycle. She has also taken part in a number of endurance runs, in which she is always in at the "finish."

"I had ridden a bicycle since I was eight years old," said Miss Lawler. "I loved to go to the repair shop and watch the men working, and there I learned quite a bit about motorcycles. The knowledge I gained there has since been of great value to me. I had often ridden tandem on a motorcycle, but wanted to be master of the machine I rode and patiently waited for that time to come. A short time afterward I was the proud possessor of a motorcycle of my own. I had no trouble whatever in operating the machine. The first day I rode all morning and then went out again in the afternoon. I had what they call the 'motorcycle craze.'"

One of the first runs taken by Miss Lawler was a 75-mile endurance contest of the Kenosha Motorcycle club, of which she is a member. At that time she had ridden her motorcycle about three months, and entered the contest against riders of several years experience. The roads were rough and she had the misfortune to run a tack in her tire—this puncture she mended herself, with the aid of the only tool they were permitted—a piece of iron. However she only lost ten minutes in making repairs, and arrived home on the minute. She received a watch as a reward for the good record she made.

Miss Lawler also entered the Milthree days. This was a very severe test of the endurance of both rider and motorcycle, as it rained during the greater part of the run, and the cyclist found it very hard riding through the mud. But Miss Lawler's mount brought her safely home on schedule time.

Miss Lawler has also taken several trips about Wisconsin and Illinois, and one trip from Chicago to Milwaukee by way of the Lake Shore road in four and a half hours. "After I had my motorcycle I could see no pleasure in taking a train for the lakes," she says. "I just strap a suitcase on the carrier and ride my motor. In all my trips I have never had a serious accident.

"In regard to motorcycling for women, I think it is just great. A year ago I was sickly and spent a great deal of time taking medicine of some kind. My parents thought riding a motorcycle would kill me, but instead I found that it was the best thing ever, and when meal time came I was always ready to eat."

ILLINI FAVORED IN CONFERENCE MEET

CHICAGO, March 28.—Illinois was the favorite in track and field events with Wisconsin a close second when conference college athletes prepared for the trial heats in the third annual indoor meet at Patten gymnasium, Northwestern university, this afternoon.

Northwestern and Chicago were regarded as having strong teams, with the strength of Ohio state and Purdue unknown. The Western intercollegiate swimming meet will be held tonight.

GIANT BOSS TO RELEASE THORPE

NEW YORK, March 28. — Jim Thorpe will be released by the Giants after the first trip west has been finished, according to a private tip that comes indirectly from Manager McGraw.

Thorpe, it is said, is a failure as a ball player and McGraw has not the time to develop him this season. The Indian signed a regular National league contract, in which the usual ten-day notice of release is included. His salary is said to have been set at $6,000 for the season, or $1,000 a month, beginning on April 10, 1913.

LIGHTWEIGHTS MEET

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., March 28. Tommy McFarland, claimant of the Pacific coast championship, and "Red" Watson, lightweights, the two topnotchers in San Francisco's four-round game, will meet here tonight in a twenty round bout to settle the question of supremacy.

BINGLES FROM THE TRAINING CAMP

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 28.—The White Sox back here for a game this afternoon, expressed admiration for the workings of Hap Hogan's Venice ball tossers. In a sixteen inning battle that dragged into darkness, the Venice team held the Sox off and finally copped a run an dthe battle. The score was 2 to 1.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., March 28.—a With their plans for closing the training season with exhibitions in Louisville and Indianapolis knocked sky high by the flood, the Cubs today awaited orders from President C. W. Murphy while they watched crowds about the river levee.

CROSS SIGNS WHITE

CHICAGO, March 28.—Charley White, local battler, will meet Leach Cross of New York in the Milwaukee arena on April 17, it was announced today. The men will weigh in at 130 pounds at six o'clock on the evening of the fight. White started training today.

Pessimism is often the outcome of insufficient income to make a man optimistic.

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OUR SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY

STRAWBERRIES

10 lbs. Granulated Sugar, with order	50c
3 cans Tomatoes	25c
3 cans Corn	25c
3 cans Peas	25c
3 cans Kidney Beans	25c
3 cans Hominy	25c
3 cans Saurkraut	25c
3 cans Tomato Soup	25c
3 cans Salmon	25c
3 large juicy Grape Fruit	25c
3 lbs. Fancy Prunes	25c
3 lbs. Fancy Evap. Peaches	25c
3 lbs. Evaporated Apricots	25c
3 lbs. best Bulk Starch	10c
3 lbs. Schumacker's Rolled Oats	10c
8 bars Lenox Soap	25c
4 rolls Crepe Toilet Paper	25c

Our Home Baking Department is meeting with greater patronage each week. "The proof of the pudding is the eating thereof." Pies, Cakes, Doughnuts, Cookies, Cup Cakes, Coffee Cakes, Potato Chips, etc.

GROCERIES

HAMS
Saturday, fancy picnic hams, special per lb. **12c**

CORN
Saturday, selected sweet corn, per can **5c**
Limit 3 cans.

PRUNES
Choice juicy California Prunes, Saturday, lb. **4½c**

SARDINES
Best grade oil sardines, Saturday per box **2¾c**

CORN FLAKES
Fresh crisp corn flakes, Saturday, package **5c**

SUGAR
20 lbs. fine granulated sugar, Saturday **94c**

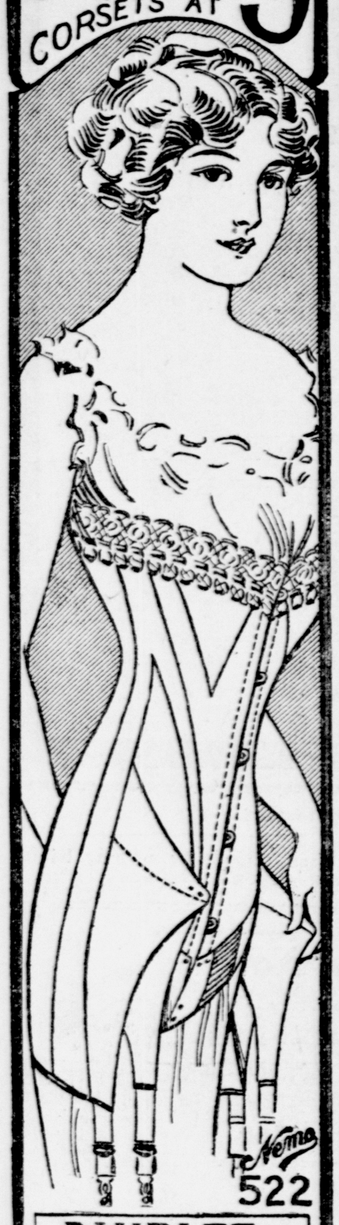
SOAP
10 bars Lenox laundry soap, Saturday for **30c**

Ginger Snaps, fresh and crisp, per lb.	5c
Fancy Kettle Rendered Lard, per lb.	14c
Luncheon Baked Beans, 3 lb. can	8c
Matches, box of 500, per box	2½c
Fancy Jap Rice, per pound	5⅛c
Bulk Starch, per pound	3¾c
Broken Macaroni, per pound	4c

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A superfine corset with the latest Nemo invention to secure fashionable slenderness.

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A Superb Style Corset }

The elastic extension of the long back assures ease in all positions, and prevents that "corset line" which can rob even the prettiest gown of its symmetry.

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CAN'T AGREE ON PLUMBING BILL

Gannon Bill to Be Supplanted by One Drawn by Plumbers and Experts

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—Arguments were made before the state affairs committee Tuesday in favor of the Gannon bill providing for the licensing of plumbers and the establishment of boards for inspection and licensing of plumbers and the establishment of boards for inspection and licensing and because of non-agreement over the best way of administering it, the committee decided to allow the plumbers, the state industrial commission and the state board of health to draft a substitute bill. The present bill would infringe somewhat upon powers vested in the industrial commission and health board.

The bill provides for a state board of plumbers of three members, a state plumbing inspector and local plumbing boards. The latter may be created at the will of the common councils for their respective cities. It was argued that the fees called for by the bill would obviate additional expense by the state. It was stated there are 604 master plumbers and 10,254 journeymen plumbers in the state, and that from the fees paid the state would receive about $20,000 and the cities about $9,673 the first year.

Assemblyman Gannon said that nearly 25 states have such a law, and declared that to prevent further illness and disease from defective plumbing in Wisconsin a similar law was an absolute necessity.

Attorney J. F. Martin of Green Bay, representing the master and journeymen plumbers, explained that the law is not proposed to apply except where councils vote to adopt it.

D. M. Reeke, a Green Bay master plumber, displayed photographs of defective plumbing tending to breed disease, the examples being taken from various Wisconsin cities.

Assemblyman Sawyer inquired whether Mr. Reeke "would recommend that the proposed board should have power to regulate plumbers' charges." Mr. Reeke replied in the negative and declared that all things considered plumbers on the average charge no more than a reasonable price for work performed, and as a rule have no intention of being exorbitant.

Dr. C. A. Harper, secretary of the state board of health, endorsed the bill as one which will safeguard the public from defective plumbing. In the light of this great need, he said the incidental expense should not be given too much weight. From a commercial standpoint, also, he believed poor plumbing was an expensive thing.

NEW USE FOR BOARD

LAKE, Wis., March 28.—Are school boards elected to keep things from happening? Thomas O'Shaughnessy, president of the school board here, says he thought that was the function of the average school board until he heard a lecturer from the extension division of the university of Wisconsin tell how some towns and villages are using their school houses as social centers for the use of all the people in the community. "I had always thought that the school board was elected to keep things from happening, and especially to keep people from enjoying their possession of the schoolhouses," said Mr. O'Shaughnessy. A civic club for the neighborhood was organized after the lecture.

Patti's First Audience.

Adelina Patti once gave the following account of her first audience: At six years of age I was a prima donna of the nursery. When I had been put to bed on my return home with my father and mother from the opera I used to make sure that they and the rest of the family were asleep, and then I would hop out from beneath the counterpane and fancy myself a great cantatrice, bowing before the plaudits of a huge audience. I must admit that my audience was a little apathetic, but, after all, that is not to be wondered at, for they were only a row of dolls which I had ranged on chairs before me.

And This In England!

A state paper of the time of William Rufus describing the royal household mentioned a hundred servitors in the king's kitchen and only four in the laundry, indicating that washing was not of much account in those days. Even so late as the reign of Charles II. Pepys thought it worthy of record in his diary that on Feb. 24, 1664, his wife took a bath.—London Telegraph.

Freckle-Face

February and March Bring Out Unsightly Spots. How to Remove Easily

Do you know how easy it is to remove those ugly spots so that no one will call you freckle face?

Simply get an ounce of othine, double strength, from O. T. Erhart, and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of freckles and get a beautiful complexion. The sun and winds in February and March have a strong tendency to bring out freckles, and as a result more othine is sold in these months. Be sure to ask for the double strength othine, as this is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove the freckles.

KILL HAWN BILL

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The Hawn bill for rural betterment, by which it was proposed to license all of the real estate dealers of the state and to prescribe rules for their operation, has been reported for slaughter by the assembly committee on agriculture.

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Ladies' Gowns, Skirts and Princess Slips of fine cambric and nainsook, trimmed with dainty laces and embroideries. Values up to $1.25 each. On sale Saturday at each **79c**

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Remnants of Embroidery at almost half price

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Remnants of Turkey Red Damask, 1½ to 2½ yards, at cut prices.

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The new cloths, the new colors, the new lengths, the new styles are all shown in our unmatchable line of Spring Coats for ladies, misses and juniors. See the great values at each—

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2½ yards by 2 yards in new Round Center designs, $6.50 value, at only ..***$3.98***

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SPOTLIGHTS

"A THOROUGHBRED TRAMP"

The amusement going public of this community will be afforded an opportunity of witnessing the latest comedy success. The management of the La Crosse theater, ever on the alert to please his patrons, has secured through the H. T. West Amusement company, their popular comedy drama, "A Thoroughbred Tramp."

The play deals with the attempts of an unscrupulous bank president, who has been an unsuccessful rival for the hand of the cashier's bride and in his mad frenzy of defeat, he fastens the crime of embezzlement on the cashier and draws the web so closely around his victim that the cashier has to flee to avoid being imprisoned for a crime that he is not guilty of. He escapes to the far west and under an assumed name conceals his identity and becomes a successful miner in Colorado. The story has an interesting plot and a pretty love story runs all the way through the piece and ends as it should, crime getting its just reward and the innocent ones getting justice.

The picture is not an imaginary one nor are the characters over drawn. It is, as it were, a mirror reflecting the inner workings of some of our big institutions in our big cities where villiany and injustice holds the power and are only brought to light by a government sleuth, who unravels thread by thread the workings of the high handed, unscrupulous criminals and brings them to justice.

The management in placing this latest comedy creation, "A Thoroughbred Tramp" before the public, has given it a cast of characters true to nature and surrounded the piece by scenic effects befitting the locality the scenes transpire in, and those seeking wholesome, instructive amusement will be afforded that pleasure on Sunday, March 30, matinee and night, at the La Crosse theater.

"BROADWAY JONES"

The coming to the La Crosse theater Wednesday, April 2, of "Broadway Jones" will be looked forward to as the real event in the season's theatricals, as Mr. Cohan's new play has been a six months' sensation in New York and has been conceded by all the critics to be the very best play in New York, and the best play that George M. Cohan has ever written.

This latest offering from the pen of the gifted author, is a comedy devoid of slang, as that vernacular is popularly defined, yet it contains enough smart and breezy chatter to keep the four acts in which it is written whizzing along at a speed that keeps it abreast of the stride that Cohan sets for all his brain children and in this case a stride or two ahead. When the play opens "Broadway Jones" is arriving home very late in a condition that one is not likely to arrive at very early. The youth is supposed to be very rich, but the morning after the night before discloses the fact that he has run through his money, and has engaged himself to a rich old woman in order to get ready cash to pay off his debts. His friends try to break off the engagement but fail. Then Jones, the hero, gets word that his uncle has died and left him a big property in the shape of a chewing gum factory, and the real action of the play begins. The scenes that follow show how the young fellow is brought around from a desire to sell his new property for what ever it will bring, to an earnest defermination to keep it for the good of the little Connecticut town of which it is the sole industry and "Broadway Jones, money burner and man about town, becomes Jackson Jones, factory owner and leading man in his community.

The cast includes John Webster Ralph Morgan, George Schaefer, Caroline Lill, Edith Lucket, Grace Morrissey, Marie Taylor, George K. Henry, Charles H. Handerson, Daniel Burns, George Staley, Dore Rodgers and others.

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"When they are a long time at one stand they call it a run."—Baltimore American.

It is better to pay doctor's bills than to have the undertaker collect his from your estate.

Flood Bulletins

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 28.—Definite news from Piqua by telephone yesterday placed the death list there at 20 and property loss not to exceed $1,000,000.

PIQUA, March 28.—The flood situation according to telephone messages is not serious at Troy. Reports of twenty deaths are discredited here.

ST. PAUL, March 28.—Governor Eberhart, as president of the Minnesota Red Cross society, Thursday issued a proclamation calling on the citizens of Minnesota to contribute funds for the benefit of the surviving victims of the flood in Ohio and Indiana.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 28.—The Ohio river condition at Cincinnati was serious yesterday with the stage nearing sixty feet. Forecaster Devereaux issued a warning predicting at least sixty-five feet of water at Cincinnati and warning persons whose property is below that mark to protect it. All tributaries of the Ohio are on the rise.

Since Tuesday the Ohio has risen more than 28 feet.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Reports from McConnelsville, Ohio, via Crooksville, Ohio, today said that Malta, a town of 400, across the Muskingum river, had been completely wiped out by the flood. Loss of life is unknown. Residents had been warned to flee late yesterday.

A Ringing Name.

"Well," said the man with the round face, "my daughter has married a boy who, I think, will be able to send his name ringing down the corridors of time all right."

"I'm glad to hear that," his companion replied. "Let's see. Whom did she marry?"

"A young fellow named Bell."—London Telegraph.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

We do not hesitate to say that a timely use of Castoria would save a majority of these precious lives. Neither do we hesitate to say that many of these infantile deaths are occasioned by the use of narcotic preparations. Drops, tinctures and soothing syrups sold for children's complaints contain more or less opium or morphine. They are, in considerable quantities, deadly poisons. In any quantity, they stupefy, retard circulation and lead to congestions, sickness, death. Castoria operates exactly the reverse, but you must see that it bears the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. Castoria causes the blood to circulate properly, opens the pores of the skin and allays fever.

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COLLEGES PROTEST NORMAL WORK BILL

Small Schools See Danger to Selves if Normals Give University Work

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The small colleges of the state are protesting against the Hull bill empowering each of the normal schools to so extend their courses as to provide for four years of college work. The bill also authorizes them to grant decrees. Every member of the legislature received a letter today from Lawrence college at Appleton in which the argument is made that such a departure would constitute an unnecessary competition with the work of the small colleges and not only impair their usefulness, but seriously menace their existence.

"The colleges of Wisconsin now have over 2,200 students in their collegiate departments," says the letter, 'and report themselves able to take care of 3,500 without materially increasing their equipment. The university can accommodate many more. Doubtless 2,500 students can be taken care of by existing institutions, and there is absolutely no call for the state to develop additional colleges."

The letter points out that the development of nine new colleges would prove a great burden of expense. The circular argues that this would take the normals out of the scope of educational work laid out for them to do.

RAISE COST OF POMPADOUR CUT

NEGAUNEE, Milch., March 28.—The proprietors of the barber shops of Negaunee have raised the price of pompadour haircuts from 25 to 30 cents. This is the only change in the scale. The barbers say pompadours are a nuisance, hence the discrimination.

PROBE NEW HAVEN

PROVIDENCE, R. I., March 28.—Hearings of general complaints against the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad began here in earnest today following the arrival of Interstate Commissioner C. W. Prouty to investigate conditions. Tht quiz will continue until Commissioner Prouty has heard all those persons who say they have grievances.

56 MILLION STARS

LONDON, March 28.—Advance information given out regarding the census of the sky, upon which the experts of Greenwich Observatory have been engaged for more than two years, indicates a starry population of some 56,000,00. Photographic plates already developed show 52,000,000. The estimate is arrived at by averaging from small squares representing about one-hundreth part of each plate, in which an actual count of the stars shown is made.

BRYAN GETS BACK

WASHINGTON, March 28.—The first trip of Secretary of State Bryan ended here today, when "The Commoner" got back "on the job." He left here two weeks ago to attend a birthday party at his home at Lincoln, Neb., and made speeches at many cities enroute.

English and Scotch.

It being the southerner's turn, he told about a county in Missouri so divided in sentiment that year after year the vote of a single man prohibits the sale of liquor there. "And what," he asked, "do you suppose is the name of the chap who keeps a whole county dry?"

Nobody had an idea.

"Mackintosh, as I'm alive!" declared the southerner.

Everybody laughed except the Englishman. "It's just like a Scotchman to be so obstinate!" he sniffed, and was much astonished when the rest of the party laughed more than ever.—Lippincott's.

Has His Own Center of Population.

Little George had a heavy and rather intractable head of auburn hair which defied his mother's efforts to make it look well groomed. One day, after much brushing, she stopped and said:

"Oh, George, I cannot make your hair go the right way, it is so thick!"

George turned quickly and replied:

"If you think my hair is thick you just ought to see that boy's across the street. He has the most thickly populated head you ever saw."—Kansas City Star.

Where He Gets His Orders.

"My friend Jinks says he can't catch up with his orders."

"Is he a manufacturer?"

"Oh, no; just a married man with five grown daughters."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Lazy people ought to transformed into rivers; then they could stay in their beds.

Gund's Peerless

Exceptional age, quality and purity are merged into a delectable flavor that lingers long and lovingly on the palate of the connoisseur.

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INDIAN MAIDEN IN UNCLE SAM'S EMPLOY



Leila Somers.

In the employ of the Indian service of the U. S. government at Denver is a full-blooded Oneida Indian girl, Leila Somers, who attends to the stenographic work of the department.

Dainty and petite of form, with exquisitely shaped hands and feet, dressed in clothing adopted by her paleface sisters, there is but little, if any, outward sign to cause one to suspect that she is the daughter of a squaw.

WOMEN PAY TAXES

STOCKHOLM, March 28.—Official statistics of the recent municipal election, published today, reveal the interesting fact that only 3.6 per cent of women voters were disqualified for failure to pay taxes, ac compared with 24.6 per cent of the men.



Do Not Worry About Your Heart

That pain around your heart means pressure of gas, the result of indigestion. It does not mean heart disease. Pain in the region of the heart is almost never present in organic heart trouble.

Improper food or too much food or a weak stomach are to blame for those alarming pains. The food lies undigested in the stomach and ferments. The acids of fermentation cause sour risings in the throat, the tongue becomes coated, the gases press on the heart and other organs. The sufferer becomes weak and without ambition, is frequently dizzy and faint.

Strength for the stomach is the one thing needed. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, one after each meal, and a little care in the diet, will quickly restore you to health and comfort. As they strengthen the stomach to do the work required of it, a healthy appetite is soon produced, the food does not distress you, there is no trouble with gas, the pains in the chest and back disappear and strength and energy return.

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CHEMISTRY SERVES USEFUL PURPOSES

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—That no large hospital can be run successfully without the aid of a chemist; that every large city needs a chemist to test its water, food and milk; and that it is only through the work of chemists that aniline dyes, Portland cement, enameled ware, tanning fluids for leather, and dozens of other important things have been discovered, are some of the interesting facts brought out by Prof. Louis Kahlenberg, head of the course in chemistry of the University of Wisconsin in a recent article.

"In paper making, which is so important in modern like, chemistry has been a valuable factor toward improved methods," Prof. Kahlenberg continues. "The art of paper making began centuries ago, but not until recent years has it been possible to manufacture good paper from cheap fiber materials. Through the perfecting of the processes of bleaching and reduction of wood fiber by chemical means, we are now able to obtain white paper of suitable grade and in the quantities that are necessitated by the demands of modern life.

"The processes of preparing leather for articles of wear were very crude at first and the leather making art developed for a long time without the aid of chemistry. Now each large tannery has its chemist to control the tanning liquors and to examine the finished product. Leather is now made in a wonderfully short time as compared with that required even 25 years ago. Moreover, the product is much better than it formerly was.

"The use of glaze on crockery, brick and tile has greatly increased in modern times because of a better understanding of the chemistry of the substances that enter into the composition of such surface coatings. The use of enameled iron ware, from the smaller utensils employed in the kitchen to the large bath tub, has been greatly increased also. Closely connected with this is the use of enamels in artistic work, like the manufacture of jewelry and artificial teeth."

A Wonderful Cataract.

The falls of Iguazu, situated near where Argentina, Paraguay and Brazil meet, form one of the most wonderful cataracts in the world, being greater in extent and more varied in character than the better known falls of Niagara. The first plunge of the Iguazu falls is 210 feet, followed by two others of 100 feet each, while between the two series of falls there are cataracts and rapids covering a vast expanse and surrounding picturesque islands.

The Western Hemisphere.

The average elevation of North America is 1,350 feet and of South America 1,300 feet.

Radium and Gems.

It is possible to change the color of precious and semiprecious stones by exposing them to the action of radium. A German who has devoted himself to this study has obtained remarkable results. He bought sapphires of different kinds and put them in a box with a small quantity of radium. At the end of a month the transformations were as follows: White sapphires had become yellow, blue green, violet blue, wine colored stones red and dark blue violet.—Harper's.

RATIONS LEAVE CHICAGO

CHICAGO, March 28—Before midnight 300,000 rations from the federal war department here were on their way to Dayton, Ohio. Orders to supply rations were received yesterday afternoon.

FOUR THINGS.

Four things a man must learn to do
If he would make his record true—
To think without confusion clearly,
To love his fellow men sincerely,
To act from honest motives purely,
To trust in God and heaven securely.

—Henry van Dyke.

FREE LOVE DOCTRINE AGITATES CHICAGO



Dr. Anna Blount.

The so-called "free love doctrine," advanced by a meeting of Chicago club women, headed by Dr. Anna Blount, has been the source of a lot of controversy in Chicago of late.

The essence of the doctrine is that "the mismated righteous are as deserving of relief by divorce as the mismated unrighteous, and persons should not be forced to commit sin or perjury in order to obtain a divorce."

GOOD OMENS FOR WILSON'S SUCCESS

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 28.—"President Wilson's administration will be a great succes. His inaugural weather forecasted that, and in 20 years it has never failed."

So sair Mayor Fitzgerald of Boston, the other day, as he waited to pay his respects to Postmaster General Burleson, Senator Burton of Ohio, who stood near, nodded his head.

"It makes me superstitious," he said.

"You see," continued Fitzgerald, "Harrison in 1889 had a perfectly vile inauguration day—his administration was unsuccessful. Cleveland had a rainy day in 1893 and went out defeated worse than any man until Taft. McKinley's first inauguration day was splendid. He gave the country a successful administration. His second inauguration was accompanied by a sudden rain that no one could explain. Later he was shot down by an assassin.

"Roosevelt's inauguration day was perfect, and he was a magnificent executive. President Taft was swept into office by one of the worst blizzards in the history of Washington and swept out by a storm of votes."

EXPECT NEW RECORDS

NEW YORK, March 28.—New indoor world's records are expected when a score of the best athletes of the east assemble for the Ozanam association's big meet here tonight at the Seventy-first Regiment armory. The entries are open to all A. A. U. athletes.

ECZEMA IS EASILY CURED BY POSLAM

To be rid of skin eruptions, pimples, etc., and to quickly clear an inflamed complexion and red nose, use Poslam as soon as the trouble is noted.

If eczema, acne, barbers' itch or any stubborn disease afflicts, cure it without extended treatment through the timely application of Poslam. This perfect remedy heals the skin under all conditions more rapidly and more effectively than anything yet devised. Itching stops at once. Use Poslam now and prove its merit.

The daily use of POSLAM SOAP, an absolutely pure soap medicated with Poslam, is of inestimable benefit to all whose skin is subject to eruptional troubles. Soothes tender skin; ideal for baby's bath.

All druggists sell Poslam (price, 50 cents) and Poslam Soap (price, 25 cents). For free samples, write to the Emergency Laboratories, 32 West 25th Street, New York City.

RELIGION.

Religion is no assent of the lips. It is no mere conviction of the understanding. It is first a sense of duty, leading to the embodiment of the highest powers in daily acts. In the end it is a ready service rendered to every good cause.—John Learned.

OLD CHURCH CRACKS

ROME, March 28.—The church at Santa Maria in Trestevere, one of the oldest and most historic churches in Rome, and of which Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore is the cardinal protector, is threatened with destruction as the result of great cracks in the walls and foundations. Although it would ordinarily be the duty of Cardinal Gibbons, as protector of the church, to see to its preservation, the edifice has recently been declared by the Italian government a national monument and thus has been taken out of his hands. His Eminence, however, today appealed to the Italian government to save the church from ruin and it is believed repairs will be made.

MORGAN GIVES $10,000

NEW YORK, March 28.—In response to the appeal issued by Mayor Gaynor for subscriptions for the flood sufferers in Ohio, J. P. Morgan & Co., yesterday contributed $10,000 to the fund.

Soon there'll be nothing left of Turkey but the wishbone.

Roup is Common Now

It may appear in your flock at any time. Don't let it attack your fowls and cut down your profits. Prevent it. Put ir the drinking water

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Guaranteed to prevent and cure this fatal disease. 25c, 50c, $1. Each 25c box makes 15 gallons of cold and roup medicine. Sample FREE.

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CHICAGO, TOO, SUFFERS FROM THE TERRIFIC STORM.





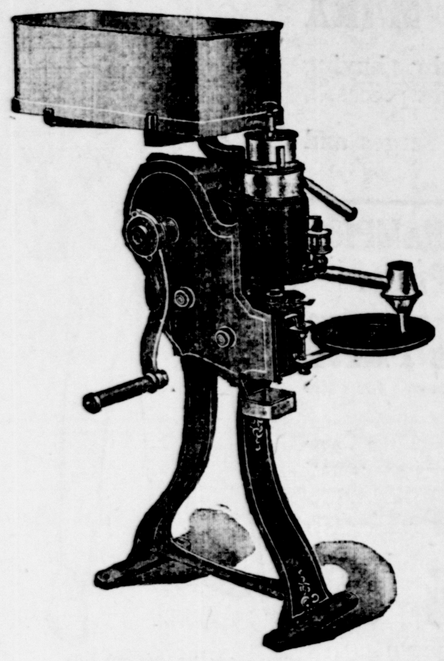
Top, Dog Raffles guarding a ruined home in Chicago that was devastated by storm. Bottom, brick residence in Chicago that was destroyed by storm.

Chicago did not escape the tornado and storm which wrought millions of dollars of damage throughout the Middle West. Many buildings were destroyed.

One of the accompanying pictures shows dog Raffles standing guard over the ruined home of his master.

The other shows a substantial brick building which was almost totally destroyed by the tornado.

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Some users have told us that appearances are against the easy washing of the United States Cream Separator. They say that at first sight they were prejudiced against it. The object of this advertisement is to tell you why the U. S. is easiest to clean and how it will save you half your time.

The skimming sections are made up of narrow vertical channels, which are entirely open from end to end. When they are whirled in water the water is driven with great speed and force through these channels, carrying off all the milk and dirt with it.

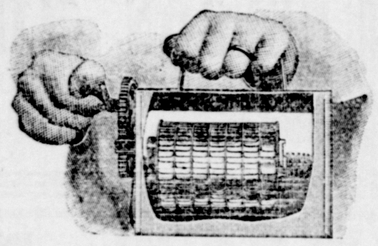
This whirling process is more effective on the United States Cream Separator than on other separators for four reasons:

First:—There are no obstructions in which, or behind which, dirt can lodge.

Second:—The arrangement of the sections which make up the skimming device enables water to be driven hard through them and in its passage to scrub off and carry away all impurities.

Third:—The use of nickel silver in the sections, a non-adhesive anti-rust metal to which dirt and milk stick less than to tin or steel.

Fourth:—The U. S. Mechanical Washer (see picture) **which is far superior to anything hitherto known for washing skimming sections.**



U. S. MECHANICAL WASHER

"It is an Excellent Device."
Lenox College, Hopkinton, Ia.
Jan. 23, 1913.
The horizontal Rotary Washer has been received and put into operation. It does the work much better than the upright because of the fact that it can be speeded up so much more. It is an excellent device. We thank you very much for sending it on.
E. E. REED, President.

"An Ideal Washer."
Racine County School of Agriculture,
Rochester, Wis., Jan. 27, 1913.
The new Mechanical Washer which you sent some time ago arrived several weeks after we were notified to look for it, in fact it arrived a little over a week ago. I was so well pleased with it that I presented the matter to the pupils of the school at once as an ideal washer. It is the best I have seen in many ways and seems a great improvement over the old form. It is so much easier handled and the quantity of water used is such that it is convenient to use.
JOHN A. JAMES, Principal.

Revolutionizing the Cleaning of Separator Bowls.
Pine Grove Farm, Lakeview, Mich.,
Jan. 22, 1913.
I received the Mechanical Washer which you sent for my No. 14 U. S., and it certainly does the work to perfection. This system will, in my opinion, revolutionize the washing of separator bowls.
Since receiving the washer everyone in the family wants to wash the separator.
H. H. MOORE.

U. S. Nickel Silver Skimming Sections Are Guaranteed Not To Rust

When you buy the United States Cream Separator you not only get the best all-round separator on the market but you have back of it a stronger guarantee than that made by any other separator manufacturer. Here is what we guarantee:

First:—Every United States Cream Separator is guaranteed perfect in materials and workmanship.

Second:—The nickel silver skimming sections used in U. S. Separators are guaranteed never to rust.

No other separator manufacturer will give you a non-rusting guarantee. The 1913 model United States Separator, with its non-rusting and mechanical washing, makes other separators distinctly out of date.

Very Easily Cleaned and Rustless.
Menominee Co. School of Agriculture.
Menominee, Mich., Oct. 21, 1912.
Your letter of the 11th inst. was referred to me. The No. 17 U. S. Separator with its new skimming device works very satisfactorily. It is very easily cleaned and does not rust.
C. J.WUELLNER, Milk & Meat Inspector.

"The Sections Will Not Rust."
Washington, Ill., Jan. 30, 1913.
Referring to the washing of the U. S. Separator, I must say it is a very easy washer. The more it is washed the easier it is to wash. My new U. S. Separator is a great improvement over my old U. S. in washing. The old U. S. was used for ten years. I must say that the sections will not rust.
HENRY SCHALINGER.

Does Not Rust Like the Others.
The University of Minnesota.
Crookston, Minn., May 1, 1912.
In compliance with your request I have tested as thoroughly as I know how the U. S. Separator No. 15, and am glad to be able to report that I found the capacity to be 790 lbs. per hour. The cream tested 29 per cent, skim milk tested .019 per cent.
We have three other hand power separators, and I am satisfied that the U. S. runs easier, does not rust like the others do, and gives fully as good results as any of them. The patent washer which you sent for washing the sections makes the washing easier.
F. H. SARGENT, Dairyman.

Answer us this. If you are using or are going to use a cream separator this year, is it not to your own advantage to use the "United States — the separator admitted to be the closest skimmer and the separator which has the greatest labor and time saving features?

We will prove it. We do not ask you to take our word or that of any other person as final. We will prove our statements to be absolute facts. Simply fill out the attached coupon and we will have a brand new 1913 model U. S. Separator sent out to your home. Try it. See for yourself that there is nothing equal to it. The demonstration is FREE. Fill out and mail the coupon NOW while you think of it.

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THE TRIBUNE'S Daily Short Story

RIGHT-OF-WAY.

By EDMUND MOBERLY

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Jackson Gregory was leading the party of men who were making a preliminary survey for a new branch line which the directors of the D. R. and T. Railroad had decided to build. For a time he encountered no serious obstacles, either in the topography of the country or in the objections of the owners of the property over which his party passed; but one day, upon removing his eye from the telescope of his surveying instrument, he was nonplussed to find himself confronted by a dainty young woman armed with a shotgun.

"Don't you know this is private property?" she demanded.

"The fences would seem to indicate that," he replied.

"Then why are you trespassing upon it?"

"We are making a survey for a railroad."

"To run through here?"

"Yes."

"No railroad shall run through here."

"Oh, yes, it will. It will follow that line of stakes back there, and will pass this spot and enter that ravine and go on to the mines at Coalville."

"But I say it shall not—not over this land," she declared hotly. "This is my property—and I refuse to permit it; so get your men and instruments and things out of here at once."

Disregarding her weapon, Gregory advanced toward her.

"Are you acquainted with the legal status of a case like this?"

"I'm acquainted with my own rights."

"But are you aware of the railroad's rights?"

"I'm not concerned with them."

"You should be. If you drive us off, the delay will be only temporary. The railroad will immediately have a court injunction issued against you, and then your hands will be tied legally."

"Do you mean to inform me that your road—any road—can build across my land without my consent?"

"I do. If the objections of property owners were to stand in the way of railroad building, this country would be still using the stage coach and the ox cart as mediums of transportation. Any railroad has a legal right to acquire a right-of-way across a person's land, regardless of that person's wishes. If this were not so, a single individual could hold up the progress of an entire community."

Gregory had been called upon to explain the law of eminent domain many times before, but never to so fair a landowner.

"And shall I lose the land which the railroad takes?" she asked with a note of pleading in her voice.

"Oh, no—not without compensation. In due course, the company's claim agent will call upon you. If he deems the price you demand too high he will make you a counter offer. If you cannot come to terms with him, or if you refuse to set a price on the land the railroad needs, the court at the company's request, will appoint a board of citizens who will act as appraisers and fix the amount the railroad must pay."

She was smiling when he finished.

"Why, that doesn't sound so terrible," she declared. "I'm terribly ignorant of such matters, and I did not know what awful act of aggression the railroad might commit. You see, I never had the law governing such conditions explained to me, and I suppose I have made myself look very foolish by coming out here and holding you up with a gun. But the gun isn't loaded," she added with a laugh.

"I suppose, then, we may proceed with the survey, Miss ——"

"Sumner—Evelyn Sumner is my name," she said simply. "Yes, you may go on."

"I thank you for your permission and your belief in my explanation," he replied. "My name is Jackson Gregory."

After this the survey proceeded without interruption to the end. Gregory learned from loquacious neighbors that the farm had been bequeathed to Miss Sumner by an uncle, and that she was having a hard time making it pay.

When the actual building of the road began Gregory was placed in charge of it. Shortly afterward he called upon Miss Sumner.

"I came on business," he explained. "I have been placed in charge of the construction of the new line, and I called to know if I could find headquarters for myself and my engineers at this house while the work is being done in this vicinity."

"Why, yes," she replied. "I've no doubt it could be managed."

Arrangements satisfactory to both were soon made, and then the conversation was permitted to drift into more personal channels. At the end of an hour, Gregory, regretting that he had no excuse for prolonging the visit, departed.

"I suppose you and the railroad came to a settlement?" he ventured as he was leaving.

"Oh, yes; the claim agent was here. We had no difficulty at all in coming to terms," she replied.

The passing of a week saw Gregory and his subordinates comfortably settled at the Sumner farm. The laborers came and established their camps, and the proposed line of the D. R. & T. became a center of intense industry.

Gregory's engineering force was composed entirely of young men. They soon made acquaintance with the damsels of the neighborhood, and as a result, their chief and Miss Sumner were left much alone together in the evenings. To Gregory, who had lived his latter years in construction camps and hotels, these hours in her cosy living room were touches of the home life for which he had often longed.

Although Gregory gave his best efforts to the road he was building, it was with regretful eyes that he watched the last rail laid and the last spike driven. That evening he and his corps prepared to betake themselves to other fields of endeavor. When the packing was done, Gregory and Miss Sumner went for a walk along the newly completed roadbed.

"Mr. Gregory," said the girl as they were returning, "there is something I have wanted to ask you for some time. A short time ago I discovered that I secured far better terms from the railroad than any of my neighbors. Was that, by any chance, due to you?"

The engineer, taken unawares, flushed beneath his tan. "I'll not deny that I had a word with the claim agent before he visited you," he confessed after a guilty pause."

"Why did you do that?"

"Because I love you," he replied, with suddenly-gathered resolution. "I began to love you the day I came here seeking a right-of-way for my road, and you defied me with a shotgun. Evelyn, I'm now seeking a right of way into your heart. Can it be acquired?"

The girl pondered for a brief moment, and then she smiled.

"Seeing that you began to trespass in my heart at the same time you began to trespass on my land, I should say it might be," she replied. "If you feel you really must have this second right of way you speak of, Jack, why don't you follow the example of the railroad company—and just take it?"

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It has cured thousands of sufferers; it has saved many lives; it has prevented many dangerous surgical operations. Put it to a test. Try one dose tonight. Let one dose prove its great merit. You are not asked to take this Remedy for weeks before you feel benefited—one dose will convince you that it should cure you. Prepared by Geo. H. Mayr, Mfg. Chemist, 154-156 Whiting St., Chicago.

For sale in La Crosse by Hoeschler Bros., 502 Main St., and 123 So. 4th St., and druggists everywhere.

PARDON CASHIER

PITTSBURG, Pa., March 28.—William Montgomery, arrested and sentenced November 28, 1908, to serve fifteen years in the federal prison, after the failure of the Allegheny National bank, of which he was the cashier, was released from the Leavenworth prison today, having been pardoned by President Taft on March 3.

The trial of Montgomery was of great interest because of his political and social prominence. During two years, constant efforts have been made to gain his release. The action of President Taft in pardoning Montgomery followed recommendation by the attorney general.

RATS CAST THEMSELVES

WASHINGTON, March 28.—When scientists about the year 3,000 A. D. in excavating the ruins of San Francisco, New York or Chicago, some across minute casts of strange little animals, they will probably never know that they represent the result of the 1913 styles in rat killing just promulgated by Dr. W. C. Rucker, assistant surgeon general of the United States Health service.

Under Dr. Rucker's plan, plaster of paris, embellished with a little pulverized sugar, sardine oil or beef juice and flour, is fed to the unsuspecting rodent, with the result that a few hours after he suffers arteriosclerosis or, in other words, plaster of paris hardening, and succumbs.

The poison consists of six parts of the plaster of paris, one part of sugar and just enough meat juice to make it smell nice. Its efect is absolutely certain, the assistant surgeon general declares.

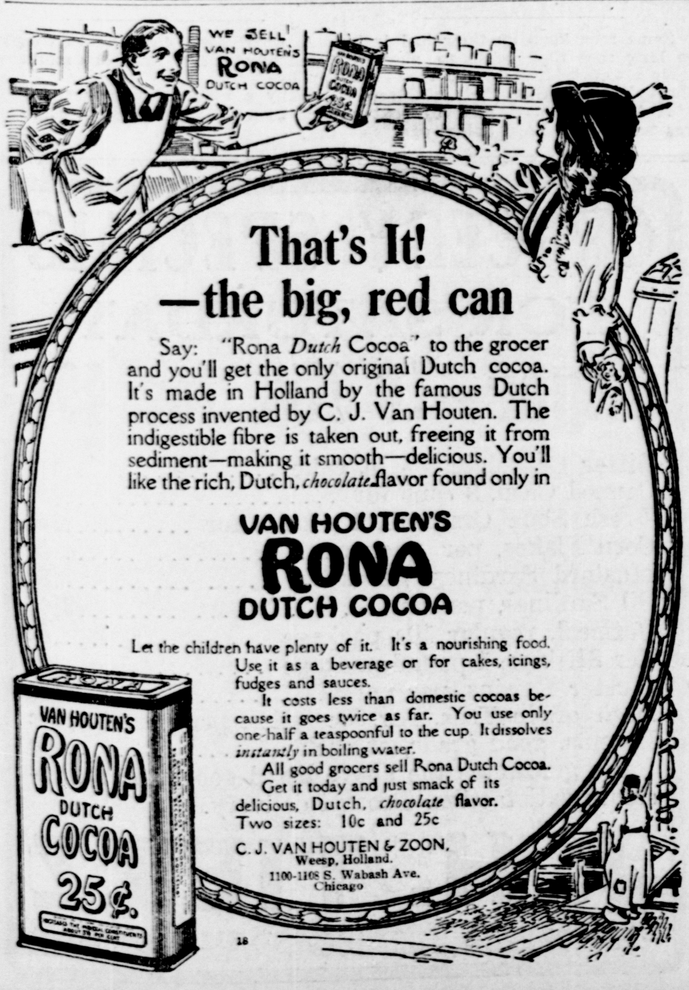
GRAY FADED HAIR, OR BEAUTIFUL, DARK ATTRACTIVE—CHOOSE, MADAM!

Says Sage Tea Mixed with Sulphur Restores Natural Color and Lustre

Gray, faded hair turned beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night, is a reality, if you'll take the trouble to mix sage tea and sulphur, but what's the use, you get a large bottle of the ready-to-use tonic, called "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" at drug stores here for about 50 cents. Millions of bottles of "Wyeth's" are sold annually, says a well-known druggist, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur and draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after just one application the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth, gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with the Sage and Sulphur tonight and you'll be amazed at your youthful appearance and the real beauty and healthy condition of your hair within a few days. Inquiry at drug stores here shows that they sell all lot of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur" and the folks using it are enthusiastic. O. T. Erhart, agent.



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One lot of long spring models of popular makes, value to $3.00, at 98c

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Stylish patterns of the newest spring Neckwear, including Collars, Bows and Jabots, etc., of lace or Bulgarian and Swiss embroidery, specially priced. 25c, 35c and $1.00

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to the appearance of the new spring gowns and suits. One must have the proper foundation, the stylish lines of figure that only correct corseting can give.

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North Side

MOTERS' PENSION LAW OVERRULED

Franklin Club Decides in Favor of Negative at Debate Last Night

After a short deliberation, the jury returned a 2 to 1 verdict in favor of the negative side of the Franklin club debate, last night, "Resolved, that Wisconsin should enact a law granting dependent mothers a pension." On the affirmative side of the question were Mr. Johnson, Professor H. Hayden and Mr. Taylor. W. E. Barber, Mr. H. Spence and Roy Ahlstrom defended the negative side of the question, and won by their proof that such a law would not benefit as a whole.

Mr. Johnson was the first speaker for the affirmative side. His chief argument was that four progressive states, namely, California, Oklahoma, Ilinois and Michigan, had enacted the mothers' pension law. He held that through poverty the home was broken up.

Mr. Barber followed with convincing arguments for the negative. He declared that such a law as the mothers' pension would discourage labor, and build up a dependency. He held that work helped the mother and children to become initiative, and that the law would discourage citizenship.

Mr. Taylor held that when all the children of a family were allowed to grow up till of a fair age under the care of a mother, in a large majority of cases they would turn out to be good citizens. Professor Hayden said that the law would avoid putting children in orphan institutions.

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OHIO RIVER PASSES THE DANGER STAGE

At Cincinnaei Stream Registers 13 Feet Above the Danger Line at 9 This Morning

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 28.—There was no rain at either Dayton or Cincinnati this morning. The weather was cloudy and cold. At 9 a. m. the Ohio river at Cincinnati registered 62.9 feet and was slowly rising. The danger line in Cincinnati is fifty feet.

Suffering in general in outlying districts, which have been inundated. River men fear the flood will be as serious as that of 1884, when the stage was 71.3 feet. The water is rapidly receding in Dayton.

Six bodies supposed to have floated from the Miami valley were recovered today at Venice, near Cincinnati.

SHOOTS SLOW DEBTOR

CHICAGO, March 28.—Because he refused to pay for his breakfast today, F. Carbone, 853 South Morgan street, is dying at the county hospital, with a bullet wound in his abdomen. Joseph Ambree, 853 Blue Island avenue, restaurant proprietor, is under arrest, charged with the shooting.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to express our sincerest thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness and expressions of sympathy shown by our many friends in our recent bereavement.

R. E. McKENZIE and Family.

FAILURE.

Failure after long perseverance is much grander than never to have a striving good enough to be called a failure.—George Eliot.

LAST OF ALLENS PAY THEIR DEBT

Floyd and Claude Allen of Court House Outlaws Electrocuted Today

RICHMOND, Va., March 28.—Overwhelmed at last after a century of mountain feudal tyranny, the power of the Allen gang was forever put to an end today when Floyd and Claude Allen, father and son, died in the electric chair for the quintuple murder in the Hillsville Court House, March 14, 1912. Just a year and a fortnight after their desperate effort to avenge the conviction of a kinsman by a mere court, they entered the death chamber after all avenues of possible reprieve had been barred against them.

When a jury foreman tremblingly announced a verdict of guilty against Victor Allen on a charge of perjury in a moonshining case, the rage of the patriarch of the clan vented itself in a pistol volley, in which other members of the family joined. Judge Thomas L. Massie, Commonwealth Attorney Thornton L. Foster and Sheriff Lew Webb were carried from the court room dead or dying. Juror Fowler and Miss Elizabeth Ayres, stenographer, died later from wounds.

When the great needle had swung backward for the last time today and the current was shut off after dealing death of the "patriarch of the Allen clan" and his son, justice had triumphed after a century of rule by a family whose power dated back for generations and which took unto itself the dominion over life and death. Time and again the Allens have defied the law and as their power grew they became more insolvent. It was their boast that none of their breed should know any law, save God's and their own.

CALLS FOR SCHOOL AID

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A country-wide appeal asking every school child and teacher in the United States to raise funds for the relief of the homeless in the flood districts of Ohio and Indiana was issued late yesterday by Commissioner of Education Claxton.

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THE CASINO

TODAY and TOMORROW

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"A TIMELY RESCUE"
A pretty rural drama.
"PUT YOURSELF IN THEIR PLACE"
A romantic comedy, and
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SPECIAL FOR TODAY ONLY—Views of the terrible cyclone at Omaha, Neb., shown in addition to our regular program. No advance in prices.

PAINTERS WIN TWO FROM THE CLOTHIERS

The Voves Painters won two out of three games from the Nelson Clothing company on the Combination alleys last night. Voves made a total for three games of 589. Bailey rolled 203 in the second game. Scores:

Voves Painters			
Lee	166	157	177
Poehling	166	100	148
Hauser	121	153	155
Substitute	123	122	112
Voves	204	180	205
Totals	780	716	797
Nelson Clothing Company			
Dockendorf	168	122	167
Hanson	167	134	171
Eaton	151	127	177
Bailey	123	203	112
Roth	150	142	112
Totals	759	728	739

The leaders in the two men tournament being held at the Combination are Bollrud and Fridgen, with 1,065 points. Paulson and Howard are running second with 1,047. The schedule is being so arranged to have the teams given handicaps meet each other, and the ones receiving handicaps to meet.

Some men keep up their bad luck so long that they begin to support their grandchildren before they are through supporting their children.

It takes a smart man to beat a gas meter or a hard boiled egg.

DERAILED CARS ARE ROLLED DOWN BANK

Three cars of an extra freight train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad were derailed this morning at 2 o'clock near Homer, Minn., which is between Winona and Waukesha.

Conductor Claude Berg, who was in charge of the train, said today that they were running along at a nominal speed when the train was brought to a stop, as if the brakes were set. The crew felt a motion as if the train had been broken in two and then coupled again.

Upon investigation the crew found that two cars were derailed. After four hours' work to get them back on the track they were rolled over into the ditch to allow a passenger train to pass. When the freight was ready to leave the scene of the derailment, a brakeman was sent over the train to check the cars, and he reported one car missing. Later this one was discovered down the embankment. The train had broken apart and had coupled again without the crew's knowledge.

Passenger trains westbound No. 57, 1 and 101 were delayed. Passenger train No. 16 was delayed going east.

A worthless dog unremittingly demonstrates how faithful a nuisance can be.

Many a man's charity begins and ends with his willingness to pass the hat.

A PENNANT WINNER

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SCHOOL BOY CRUSHED

CHICAGO, March 28.—Henry Carter, aged 11, No. 6112 Winthrop avenue, was crushed to death under the North Edgewater street elevated station while on his way to school. Cable messages were sent to the lad's parents, who are in Europe.

I. H. C. AIDS RELIEF

PHONETON, Ohio, March 28.—The International Harvester company of Chicago authorized their agent here yesterday to use $1,000 to best advantage for Dayton sufferers.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Features at the Dreamland.

J. A. McDonald, superintendent of the La Crosse division of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad, is in the city on a short business trip.

G. F. Smith returned to his home yesterday from Minneapolis, where he has been the guest of friends and relatives for the past few days.

Max Hoffman, town of Campbell, is visiting friends and relatives on the north side of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Clementz, 1208 Avon street, have returned their home from Lake City, Minn., where she visited friends.

Leo Martell, Harpers Ferry, Iowa, is in the city visiting relatives and friends.

Philip George has returned to his home on the north side from a visit with friends and relatives in Harpers Ferry, Iowa.

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. is the most modern auto home.

Mrs. William Delany, Tomah, is spending the latter part of the week with relatives and friends on the north side of the city.

C. E. Stannard, who has betn visiting Milwaukee, Chicago and Detroit Mich., with George Brown, has returned to his home on the north side of the city.

Poly Whipple, 818 Avon street, is confined to his home with a severe attack of grip.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Epberg, 1616 Prospect street, are the proud parents of an eight pound baby boy.

Mrs. J. Welch is again able to be about after having been confined to her home, 1029 Berlin street, with illness.

Mrs. J. Cary, 1017 Berlin street, is visiting relatives and friends in Minneapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Allen have returned to their home, 821 Windsor street, after spending the winter in Florida with their son.

Mrs. J. L. Griegg, who has been ill at her home, 832 Mill street, is able to be out.

Tom Corbett has returned to Cassville after a few days' visit at his home, 909 Charles street.

Miss Helen Stifter is able to be out after being confined to her home, 914 Berlin street, with illness.

Adolph Emerson has returned to the state university at Madison, after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. P. Granum, 1524 Prospect street.

Mrs. J. Conway, who has been ill at her home, 1029 Berlin street, is able to be out.

Erwin Rand is confined to his home, 1710 George street, with illness.

Carl Gilbertson of Waukesha is visiting at the home of his parents, 1506 Kane street.

Miss Ruth Ryning of La Farge is the guest of relatives and friends on the north side.

Mrs. Peter Larson, 1443 Charles street, was called by telegram to Marmouth, N. D..

Miss Fern Casterline of West Salem spent yesterday with relatives and friends on the north side.

Oscar Gunderson, 1602 Berlin St., has recovered from a slight illness.

Siguard Stendahl, 1537 Kane St., has recovered from an illness.

Mrs. W. Hafner, 817 St. James street, is spending a few days in Winona.

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"A delicate compliment to her bridegroom's trade."

"What is he?"

"A gardener." Baltimore American

Cynical.

"Talking about the companionship of marriage"—

"Yes?"

"Isn't it odd that two are company until they are made one."—Baltimore American.

The Natural Way.

"How did the facts in the case leak out?" "The story wouldn't hold water."—Baltimore American

The average strength of a woman compared with that of a man is as 67 to [illegible]

Sympathy.

"He lost money in a wheat deal."

"Then I haven't a grain of sympathy for him." Baltimore American.

Pertinent Query.

"Dobble's word is as good as his bond." "Exactly. How good is his bond?"—Houston Post.

Accepted.

He—Would you like a pet poodle? She—Oh, Mr. Smith, this so sudden!—Yale Record.

Cash Register Plant At Dayton Where Three Flood Babies Were Born



The National Cash Register plant at Dayton became an important civic center during the flood. It was made headquarters for the city government, and it also supplied shelter to 2,600 homeless refugees. Three babies were born at the plant on Tuesday night, when the flood was at its height.

GROCERY SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Sugar—10 lbs. for 49c

Bitter Chocolate, ½ lb. cake	17c
Canned Corn, 3 cans for	19c
Fresh Soda Crackers, 2 pounds for	15c
Corn Flakes, per package	5c
Mustard Sardines, per can	8c
Oil Sardines, per can	3½c
Oatmeal, regular 10c package	8c
Tea Siftings, 1 pound package	12c
Cluster Raisins, per pound	15c
High grade Teas, reg. 50c seller, per pound	43c
Brooms, good grade, at each	29c

We guarantee the above listed goods to give absolute satisfaction. Prompt delivery.

J. H. TIETZ

Both Phones. 912 Logan Street

STRAWBERRIES
AND FRESH
VEGETABLES
John C. Burns Fruit House

THE FASHION SHOP
F. A. REIMAN
EXCLUSIVE GARMENT STORE
Corner Fifth and Main Streets

HOME BAKING
Bread, Cake, Pies, Etc. Special Orders, by
MRS. E. A. TRANE,
611 Main. Phone, new 1253-R
Old 4531
Prompt service and delivery.

MORRIS & HARTWELL
LAWYERS
LA CROSSE, WIS.

PERSONALS

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. is the most modern auto home.

Edward Thorsen, Fountain, is returning to his home after a short business visit to this city.

J. Juhl, Minneapolis, was in the city yesterday on a business trip.

Helmar Peterson, Rushford, Minn., is the guest of friends here for the latter part of the week.

R. L. Pace and wife are guests here while transacting business and will soon return to their home in Bagley.

Buy your roofing paper from the La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber Co. They save you money.

C. O. Rogstad who has been here transacting business has returned to his home.

N. A. Galstad, Genoa, Wis., is returning to his home after a short business visit to this city.

W. A. Bright, Trempealeau, is the guest of relatives in this city for a few days.

Dance at Linker hall Saturday. Maeder's orchestra.

D. E. Jeffer, Westby, is in the city for the latter part of the week on business.

R. R. Scott, Harlem, Mont., passed through the city this morning on a business trip.

F. A. Whitford, Geneses, La., is the guest of friends in this city while on a business trip.

William Smith, Genoa, who has been in the city visiting friends has returned to his home.

Going to build a chicken coop? The La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber Company furnish the material for a 10x10 coop for $18.00, other sizes accordingly. They always save you money.

George J. Bates, Cashton, is returning to his home, after transacting business in this city.

John Frazer, Sparta, is returning to his home, after being the guest of friends here.

Rubber, canvas and leather belting. La Crosse Wrecking & Lumber company. We save you money.

B. Calvin, Madison, was in the city yesterday transacting business.

C. Hensinger, Stoddard, is the guest of friends and relatives in this city for the latter part of the week.

Bert Johnson, Lime Ridge, is returning to his home, after a business visit to this city.

Club dance at K. P. hall, Saturday evening. Special program.

Adam McGee, Viroqua, is the guest of friends in this city.

Mrs. Susie Howarth, Rockford, Minn., was in the city yesterday morning shopping.

Mrs. J. D. Beckel and Mrs. F. Huebsch have returned to McGregor after spending a few days with friends in La Crosse.

Hacks calls prompty attended to. Phones 179. Gateway City Trfr. Co.

City Attorney A. H. Schubert returned from a business trip to Genoa, Wis., today.

Miss Catherine Fleece's millinery parlors, corner 11th and Winnebago, will be open every night until 9 o'clock.

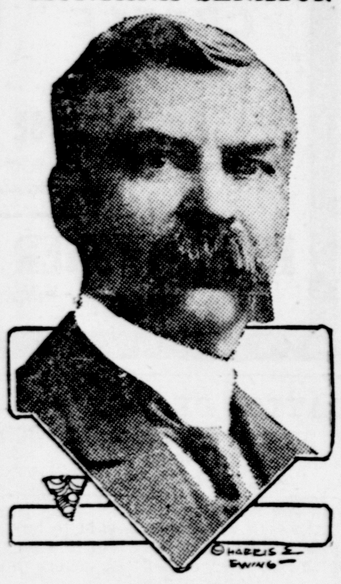
Attorney A. C. Wolfe returned from a business trip to Gays Mills, Crawford county, today. Mr. Wolfe was compelled to drive twenty-five miles overland to get a train at Boscobel, because the Milwaukee trains through Crawford county are held up by the flooded Kickapoo river.

Attorney William Wolfe is in Chicago today on business.

A woman can understand a man being in a questionable business, but not living in anything but the very best neighborhood.

FEED THEM
O. K.
POULTRY
POWDER
And You'll Get Plenty Eggs
FOR HATCHING
START NOW
AT
HOESCHLER BROS.
ONLY

SUCCEEDS DIXON AS MONTANA SENATOR



Thomas J. Walsh.

Thomas J. Walsh is the new senator from Montana. He succeeds Joseph M. Dixon, Col. Roosevelt's campaign manager. Walsh is a Democrat.

SOCIETY

WEDS ST. PAUL GIRL

William Wachholz, of this city, and Miss Jessie McWhirter of St. Paul, were married last evening at the home of the bride's mother, William McWhirter, 926 Adams St., by Rev. D. C. Jones of the First Presbyterian church. Only a few intimate friends and relatives witnessed the ceremony. The young couple will make their home in this city.

CARD PARTY

The Mystic Workers of the World gave a card party and supper after their regular meeting last night. The prizes were awarded the ladies as follows: Mrs. Ceedie, first prize; Mrs. Lawlor, second prize. A prize was also awarded to Mr. Huids. The entertainment committee was: Mr. O. Simonson, Mrs. Krueger, Mrs. Pitzner, Mrs. Castell, Mrs. Gardner, and Mrs. M. Stangl, chairman.

DINNER AT ESCH HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John J. Esch entertained at dinner last evening. The guests were Messrs. and Mesdames J. E. McConnell, C. S. Van Auken, Frank Winter, Frank Funke and Dr. and Mrs. Evans.

BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Fred Heil received calls from her friends this afternoon from friends in honor of her birthday.

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Word has been received of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Campbell of San Francisco, Cal. Mrs. Campbell was formerly Miss Emma Hyde of this city.

Mrs. George Shaw of Downsville, Wis., is the guest of Mrs. S. B. Oatman.

To Stop the Cough—Cure the Tickling

Spray or mop the throat with the wonderful antiseptic. DR. PORTER'S ANTISEPTIC HEALING OIL. It cures in One Day. Full directions with each bottle. 25, 50c $1.00,

NO REASON FOR DOUBT

As to the Merits of Cardui, the Woman's Tonic, in View of Such Evidence

Tecumseh, Okla.—In a letter from this town, Mrs. Elisa Epperson, says: "I do believe, that if it hadn't been for Cardui, the woman's tonic, I wouldn't have been living today.

I am so glad that I began taking Cardui, when I did. Before I began using it, I was in bad health and suffered considerable pain in head, shoulders, back, side, limbs and lower part of my body.

Cardui helped me more than anything I ever did take, and I am in better health since taking it, than I have been in four (4) years.

I shall never be without Cardui, the woman's tonic, in my home, and will always recommend it to other ladies."

Can you doubt the merit of Cardui after reading the above letter? This is only one of many that we receive each year. Such testimony, from earnest women, surely proves the great value of this tonic medicine, for the ailments peculiar to their sex.

Cardui acts on the weakened womanly organs. It helps to refresh the wornout nerves, and is the ideal medicine for young and old.

As a tonic for women, it has brought remarkable results.

As a remedy for women's ills, its friends say it has no equal.

N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.

Around the Market Square

Owing to the betterment of road conditions in La Crosse county and in Minnesota, more farmers were enabled to drive to the city yesterday afternoon and this morning. The warmer weather has tended to dry up wet places in the roads and the water in small rivers and creeks has receded.

John Doehlke, Rose Valley, Minn., brought ten live hogs to the market yesterday which weighed 3,240 pounds.

Hay is in abundance on the market as the crop was such a large one last fall. The farmers have plenty to spare.

Elmer Nicolai, Mormon Coulee, drove to the city this morning with a load of hay for the market.

Albert Kleinschmidt, South Salem road, brought a load of hay to the market this morning.

Fritz Schmeckpepper, Barre Mills, drove to the city yesterday morning with a load of hay which he disposed of at the market.

Two loads of hay were brought to the market yesterday afternoon by John Johnson and Wallen Bell, from Mormon Coulee and Onalaska.

Levi Atkinson, La Crescent, drove to the city this morning with a load of hay for the market.

John Lehman, Hokah, brought a load of hay to the market yesterday which he disposed of.

George Allen, Stoddard, Wis., brought a load of straw to the market yesterday afternoon.

George Allen, French Island, drove to the city this morning with a large load of hay.

L. Becker, Hokah, drove to the market yesterday afternoon with a large load of live hogs.

Frank Hafner, Hokah, brought a load of hay to the city yesterday afternoon.

John Doehle, Rose Valley, brought a large load of barley to the market yesterday afternoon.

Didn't Need It.

"Have you a set of Shakespeare?" asked the young woman at the door.

"No, but we don't need it," was the reply. "We had a splendid set of Haviland given us for a wedding present."—Detroit Free Press.

The Bonds.

"I want to get rid of some bonds."

"Out of my line," replied the lawyer.

"But these are matrimonial bonds," rejoined the caller, putting a different face on the matter. — Philadelphia Ledger

Give a Diamond

It is what every present should have—sentiment and intrinsic value. Never grows old; more valuable as the years pass. In our collection we have some that are "gems," and we invite your inspection. Try us for diamonds.

W. T. IRVINE, Jeweler

CHICAGO HELPS QUICK

RELIEF FUND REACHES $158,496 AND CARLOADS OF CLOTHES AND PROVISIONS ARE SHIPPED TO FLOOD AREAS

CHICAGO, March 28.—Chicago's contribution to the relief fund for Ohio and Indiana flood sufferers has reached $158,496 today. The contributions are being received by the Association of Commerce.

Besides money contributions, several carloads of provisions and clothing, collected by the united charities and various churches will start for the flooded districts today. Five carloads donated by Montgomery Ward & Company started for Dayton yesterday.

Lifeboats from a number of lake steamers, with men from the Michigan City life saving crew, are on their way to the flood districts in both states.

Telephone girls employed in Chicago exchanges today raised $3,000 to send to "Hello girls" who are flood victims in Ohio and Indiana and only telephone operators were allowed to contribute.

AFTER GUN-TOTERS

KENOSHA, Wis., March 28.—Judge E. B. Belden of the circuit court has handed down an order here on Thursday directing the sheriff and all police officers of Kenosha county to make an extraordinary effort to put an end to the carrying of weapons in Kenosha.

ACQUITTED; KISSES TURNKEY

CHICAGO, March 28.—Elated over her acquittal, Mrs. Harriet M. Burnham, who shot and killed her husband because she said he mistreated her, threw her arms around Austin Casey, turnkey in the county jail and kissed him.

NOTED MEN MAROONED

FRENCH LICK SPRINGS, Ind., March 28.—Harry Payne Whitney, John Fox, Jr., Finley Peter Dunne, Jake Ruppert, all of New York, and Oscar G. Foreman and L. B. Kuppenheimer, both of Chicago, are among the five hundred guests marooned, but safe at the hotel here today.

BANKERS HEAR ADDRESS

DES MOINES, Ia., March 28.—Bankers from all over Iowa assembled today to hear an address on currency reform by W. C. Brown, president of the New York Central railroad. Mr. Brown in his private capacity is a prosperous Iowa farmer and stock raiser.

KILLS BIGGEST WILDCAT

WAUSAU, Wis., March 28.—The largest wildcat ever killed in Marathon county was presented at the office of the county clerk here Thursday for the bounty. The pelt measured five feet and six inches from tip. It was trapped by William Laffin.

Mr. Cleveland's Portrait.

During his first administration, says Hilary A. Herbert in the Century, Mr. Cleveland, disliking a certain portrait of himself painted at that time, had it relegated to the garret. President Harrison caused it to be brought down. In his second term Mr. Cleveland spoke jocularly of the portrait and asked Tom Reed if he did not think that one who had twice been elected president was entitled to have two portraits. "Well, y-e-s," said Reed in his well known drawl, "if he has grown any handsomer."

A Short Love Story.

In a certain school in New York city the English teacher offered a prize for the best story to be written by a class of little girls. The children, who were just reaching the romantic age, begged to be allowed to have it a "Love Story Competition." With amusement the teacher agreed, and the result was astonishing in many ways, also enlightening. Professional writers have sweat great drops of agony and rambled through 350 pages trying to tell the story of woman's victory over man, which one little girl accomplished in a dozen words:

"She talked until he thought she was good. Then they were married."—Woman's Home Companion.

Wrong.

"There is a word of one syllable in the English language that is always spelled wrong, even by the most educated people."

"What is that?"

"The word 'wrong.'"

Johnson's Only Novel.

"Rasselas," the only novel written by Samuel Johnson, was composed by him in the brief space of a week, in order to realize enough to enable him to meet the expenses incurred at his mother's funeral.

Rome's Gormandizing.

The decline of a nation commences when gormandizing begins. Rome's collapse was well under way when slaves were thrown into the eel pits to increase the gamy flavor of the eels when they came upon the table.

Needed to Be Explained.

Mrs. Hennessey, who was a late arrival in the neighborhood, was entertaining a neighbor one afternoon when the latter inquired:

"An' what does your old man do, Mrs. Hennessey?"

"Sure, he's a di'mond cutter."

"Ye don't mane it!"

"Yis; he cuts th' grass off th' baseball grounds."—Lippincott's.

L. Williams, Pine Creek Valley, brought a wagon load of live calves to the market this morning.



SPRING MILLINERY

Mrs. Sundt-Callaway

Exclusive Millinery

The Fashion Shop 5th and Main Street

FOUR LUSTY LADS MAKE LIVLY WASHINGTON HOME OF THE NEW SECRETARY OF NAVY; THEY'RE FAVORITES IN OFFICIAL CIRCLES

The home of Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels is one of the liveliest in Washington. Four boys, all active and interested in a large variety of things, keep domestic affairs humming from morning until night.

The boys have been made heartily welcome by Washington officialdom, while Mr. and Mrs. Daniels already have an acquaintance of long and agreeable standing with all Washington that is worth while.

Of the boys, Josephus, Jr., is the eldest, eighteen years old. The next is Worth Bagley, named after a brother of Mrs. Daniels, who was the first officer and the only naval line officer killed in the Spanish war. Then come Jonathan Worth, aged fourteen, and Frank A., aged nine.



Left to right, Josephus Daniels, Josephus Jr., Mrs. Josephus Daniels, Frank A., Jonathan Worth, and Worth.

BURLESON ATTACKED BY "PIE-HUNTERS"

WASHINGTON, March 28.—With just ten days left before the opening of the special session of congress, when it will be possible to nominate postmasters, Albert Sidney Burleson, postmaster general for less than a month, today faced the most complex situation that ever confronted a man in his position.

With the selection of practically every postmaster to be named by the new administration put directly up to him by President Wilson, Burleson admitted today that the job was far greater than he had anticipated. From every hamlet, town and city throughout the entire nation, personal representatives, telegrams, letters and communications of every conceivable description have poured in upon the postmaster general from the contending office seekers. So heavy has been Burleson's mail that much of the time of the department has been taken up with handling it.

"I am running the job with all the patience that I possess, but approximately 51,000 fourth class postmasters are running after me," said Burleson with a rueful smile today.

Postmaster General Burleson's grandfather was General Edward Burleson, who held the center of Sam Houston's troops at San Jacinto. His father, Major Edward Burleson, fought in both the Mexican and the civil wars. Albert Sidney Burleson explains that it is merely in maintenance of family repute that he, too, has become a "general." Otherwise, he says he is satisfied to pursue a civic career.

Burleson's chief recreation is woth the rod and reel. He says the sport is a fine training in patience for a man to interview the thousands of office seekers.

A SOUR, GASSY, UPSET STOMACH

"Pape's Diapepsin" overcomes your Indigestion in five minutes

Wonder what upset your stomach—which portion of the food did the damage—do you? Well, don't bother. If your stomach is in a revolt; if sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; your head dizzy and aches; belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food; breath foul, tongue coated—just take a little Diapepsin and in five minutes you truly will wonder what became of the indigestion and distress.

Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated and they eat their favorite foods without fear.

If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quickest, surest, most harmless relief is Pape's Diapepsin which costs only fifty cents for a large case at drug stores. It's truly wonderful—it digests food and sets things straight, so gently and easily that it is really astonishing. Please, for your sake, don't go on and on with a weak, disordered stomach; it's so unnecessary.

The Berry He Was.

When Bishop Berry of the Methodist Episcopal church was a young preacher he once gave a lecture in a rural community. Wishing to be witty, he announced to his audience that he was a berry and called upon them to state what kind of berry. Nearly every berry known in the vicinity was guessed, and the speaker refused to share the qualities of any of those named. At last an old lady who was not sympathetic with the seeming levity of the lecturer arose and exclaimed in a squeaky voice: "I know what kind of a berry you are. You are a gooseberry, and a very green one at that. Go on with the lecture." And the lecturer did quickly.

The man who insists on having his own way at all times is apt to interfere with the progress of others, and, in so doing, step on his own toes.

You can get some good points out of any paper—even a paper of pins.

LET US BE MEN.

Let us devote ourselves to those great objects that are fit for our consideration and action; let us raise our conceptions to the magnitude and importance of the duties that devolve upon us; let our comprehension be as broad as our country, our aspirations as high as its certain destiny; let us not be pygmies in a case that calls for men.—Daniel Webster.

UNEXPECTED FIRE DRILL AT SCHOOL

A near April fool joke was pulled off at the high school yesterday morning. The usual signal for fire is three short taps of the signal bells, this signal to be kept up for some time. The teachers usually know when there is to be a fire drill and so are prepared for it. Yesterday morning the apparatus which rings the signal bells was out of order and the janitor was called in to fix it. He was not aware of the fire signal and rang the bell, frantically for several minutes all the students making a grand effort to get out of the building in record breaking yet orderly time. Principal McCormick rushed from his physics class to find out the cause for all the trouble. The janitor working unconcernedly at the clock told the story.

How a Bill Mounts Up.

Traveler (to waiter of hotel)—I have slit one of my boots. Send it to the shoemaker.

Errand Boy (to boots an hour later)—Mended boot for No. 6. I had to pay threepence. Give me the money.

Boots (to waiter)—Boot for No. 6. I've given him sixpence. You must pay me.

Waiter (to traveler)—Here's the mended boot, sir. It cost a shilling. I paid.

Some time after—

Traveler (to shoemaker)—I say, how much did you charge for mending the boot?

Shoemaker—Nothing!—London Mail.

HEADACHE—

The Handicap to business

The bane of life—ended! Ended without drug or heart depressant by correcting the vision, giving the eyes a chance.

It is marvelous what my correct glasses will do.

H. C. EVENSON
EYESIGHT SPECIALIST
Manufacturing Optician
Fifth and Main Sts., upstairs

The direct and indirect evil which follows gambling is shown in a forcible manner at the LYRIC today, in an Imp photoplay, entitled "King Danforth Retires". King Baggot plays the character of a fashionable gambling resort owner. There is a punch to this little story that will stick in your memory. True to life stories, like this one, has made friends for the Motion Picture. See this Picture if you possibly can.

H. H. BURFORD,
Mgr. Lyric Theatre.

Political advertising, authoried by F. H. Hartwell, — Amount to be paid $4.50.

WATER WORKS
SHOULD BE CONSTRUCTED BY ITS FRIENDS

La Crosse is spending four hundred thousand dollars on its water works system. There has been some discussion as to what system should be established. Mr. Sorensen and his friends fought for a filtration plant although it was voted down several times by the people. They finally appealed to the Railroad Commission and the well system was ordered. Mr. Sorensen and his friends then did all they could to block the establishment of this system. The question as to which system should be established is now a matter of the past. The bonds have been issued and contracts have been let.

Shall we put the construction and operation of a four hundred thousand dollar addition to our water system in the hands of its friends or its enemies? Think of this, voters, in casting your ballot.

Tomorrow watch for a further discussion of the finances of our city,

LA CROSSE WINS FIRST MEET GAME

Defeat Fond du Lac 27 to 7 and Will Play Menominee and Ashland

APPLETON, Wis., March 28.—La Crosse and Menominee, Janesville and Menominee and Ashland and La Crosse will meet here tonight in the semi-finals of the basketball series.

La Crosse won from Fond du Lac yesterday by a score of 27 to 7. The score:

La Crosse	G.	F.	T.
Zeisler, f	1	3	2
Meinert, c	1	0	0
Weisse, g	0	2	0
Dornbach, g	4	3	3
Krause, f	0	0	0
Wagner, f	5	0	1
Weibrecht, c	0	0	2
Totals	11	8	8
Fond du Lac	G.	F.	T.
Ellison, f	0	0	0
Karst, f	0	3	6
Rice, c	1	0	3
Fitzgerald, g	1	0	1
Birch, g	0	0	0
Menning, g	0	0	2
Reinck, f	2	0	0
Totals	4	3	12
Ashland	G.	F.	T.
Gardner, f	3	9	0
Gaylor, c	2	1	5
Engelke, g	9	0	0
Hanson, g	0	0	1
Schrenck, g	3	0	0
Totals	17	10	6
Oshkosh	G.	F.	T.
Preike	4	0	1
Cook, f	2	0	3
John, c	0	0	0
Simpson, g	9	2	2
Webster, g	0	0	1
Dale, g	0	0	3
Bixbey, f	1	0	1
Totals	16	2	11

LONG ARBITRATION ENDS.

CHICAGO, March 28.—After ninety-four days of warm disputes the board of arbitration selected to set a wage scale for 14,000 street railway employes in Chicago, who threatened to strike, has reached a verdict, and the result will be announced tomorrow.

TO ADDRESS LOCAL UNION

Mrs. Josephine E. Sizer of Sturgeon Bay, state organizer for the Women's Christian Temperance union, is in the city and will address the members of the local union and their friends at a "White Ribbon Tea" to be given tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. J. Wilden, 821 King street. The meeting will be called at 3 o'clock and all members and their friends are cordially invited to be present on this occasion.

M'GOVERN CALLS ON WISCONSIN TO HELP

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—Gov. McGovern last night issued this proclamation:

To the people of Wisconsin:

Frightful disaster has befallen the people of Ohio, Indiana and vicinity. Storms and floods of tremendous violence have destroyed whole communities. Thousands of persons have been killed and millions of dollars worth of property was swept away. Throughout a vast area other thousands of men, women and children are today homeless and in imminent danger of perishing from exposure and starvation. Immediate relief is urgently needed.

Wisconsin has never turned a deaf ear to the cry of want and she certainly will not fail in this time of heartrending disaster. I therefore urgently invite all our citizens to contribute as generously as their circumstances will permit in money, provisions and clothing for the relief of those who suffer from this appalling calamity. Railroads and express companies have generously offered to furnish free transportation for all such supplies. Money is preferred, but contributions of any sort will be gratefully received by the treasurer of the Wisconsin State Board of the American Red Cross, Mr. George W. Strohmeyer, of the Milwaukee National Bank, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

FROST ALTRUISTIC.

CHICAGO, March 28.—Albert C. Frost, charged with being the brains of the alleged $10,000,000 Alaska land conspiracy, underwent a severe grilling by government attorneys when he was cross-examined before Federal Judge Landis today. Frost repeatedly asserted that his entrance into the Alaska coal fields was not for the purpose of accumulating wealth.

"I had plenty of money," he said. "But the possibility of opening up a great new country had an alluring element about it that I could not resist."

His Style.

"What sort of a bridge expert is Wombat?"

"He's what we call an Ibsen expert."

"An Ibsen expert?"

"Yes; he makes some mighty queer plays."—Cincinnati Enquirer.

SHOES for SPRING

You must consider carefully the question of shoes when buying the spring outfit. "Any old shoe" won't do. We have a splendid line of seasonable footwear that embraces everything ordered by Dame Fashion. Tans, Whites, Patent and Dull Leathers in all the newest models, are here for your selection. Let us sell you your shoes this spring. You'll be more than satisfied.

Fred Heil Shoe Co.

Fourth and Main.

HUNDRED MILLION IS PROPERTY LOSS

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land, the only method of entering the city by rail, and they were all striving to get to their families in either Columbus, Dayton or some other flood stricken city.

Zanesville was a center of most concern today. It was cut off from communication with Columbus and the reports that 150 were dead and many survivors starving, were beyond verification by the governor.

A special train was sent out from Lancaster with supplies for Zanesville refugees, who were on the west side of the river at Putnam.

Governor Cox today ordered Brigadier General John C. Speaks to take full charge of a passenger and supply train which the Pennsylvania railroad was to attempt to run from Columbus to Dayton.

The governor wished to keep those impelled to go there merely by curiosity from entering the city, and to reserve the train for such civilians as had family ties or property rights in the Gem city.

The rescuers in Columbus today were laboring to reach 1,000 or more persons marooned since Tuesday morning in the west side here.

Several bodies, lashed to tree tops, were recovered today, driven there by the flood. The unfortunates perished from exposure.

Colonel Byron S. Barger, commanding the Fourth regiment of National guard, and Safety Director of Columbus, today ordered militiamen and police to shoot down anyone looting the homes of the flood sufferers. Thieves had constructed rafts and were using them to get to flood surrounded homes.

The rescuers found that the Scioto, which had a big bend encircling several thousand houses, where 25,000 persons had dwelt, straightened its own course by cutting a new channel through Avondale and Glenwood avenues. In so doing the river swept out of existence hundreds of residences.

Hundreds of survivors who had reached the east side or the refugee camps on the far west side, today were seeking members of their families from whom they had become parted in the mad rush to escape the flood.

Rescuers last night took from the upper half of a house which was floating in the flood, J. E. Vestal and wife, and their son-in-law, L. B. Gracey and wife, who had been trapped since Tuesday morning.

Expectaed Death

"First we fled to the second story," said Gracey today. "The water soon covered the second floor. We stood on chairs. The water mounted to our hips. We all believedl we were doomed. We draped sheets around us for our own shrouds and tied ourselves together so we would not be separated in death. I pinned an identification card to my clothes so our bodies could be recognized."

Rescuers who reached the Avondale U. B. church in the flood district, where it had been reported that 100 to 200 dead bodies had been seen, declared today that they had found no bodies in the structures.

Martial law was declared in the flooded district and all relief work was being done under the general order to that effect issued by Colonel Barger of the Fourth regiment, Ohio National guard, which is patrolling the district.

At 9 o'clock twenty-eight bodies had been recovered.

A general morgue has been opened on Town street and as fast as possible bodies were being brought across to it. Twenty of the bodies recovered had been removed to Osman's morgue on the west side.

Some of the Dead

Bodies recovered were identified as follows:

Ima Cooper, five, 1103 Sullivan avenue.

John Stottler, 35, South May avenue.

Mrs. John Stottler, 35, South May avenue.

Mrs. Della McNerney, 257 Skidmore street.

Miss Alma Diss, 16.

Mrs. Withey, Kimball street.

Political advertising, authorized by George Will. Amount to be paid $1.50.

To Voters:

George Will, candidate for **Tax Commissioner,** at the election April 1, has been a resident of the city of La Crosse about 22 years. For the past 22 years has been engaged in the grocery business at Ninth and Market streets. Served on the county board for six years and was an active member of that body. Has always taken a keen interest in public affairs and believes he is well qualified in every way to fulfill the duties of the office which he seeks.

Was a charter member of the Knights of Labor when the organization was formed in this city in the early 80's and has always been a friend of labor.

On these grounds he seeks the favor of the electors of this city at the polls next Tuesday.

Want A Spring Suit?

We are prepared as never before to meet every individual requirement in Spring apparel for men and young men.



For the man who wishes something subdued in style, we have the more conservative models. For the young high school or college man we have suits with all the newest conceits in novelty tailoring. Still there are no "freaks." Fabrics embrace all the latest dictates of Fashion.

PRICES THE LOWEST

STAVRUM & HULBERG,

THIRD AND MAIN ST. THE FASHION CORNER.

Mrs Greenlee, 745 West Broad setrett.

Josephine Underwood, 11 Cypress avenue, froze to death.

Albert Underwood, 13 Cypress avenue.

Unidentified boy about 12, light hair.

Arrangements for 250 bodies were made on the first and second floors of the general morgue. A small group which gathered early to await the bringing in of the dead, grew as the hours went by.

County commissioners today said it would cost $1,000,000 to replace lost bridges and damage to roads in the county. But one bridge is left across the Scioto river here. A dozen in the county have gone.

Street Destroyed

Rescuers penetrated the section at Cypress and Center avenue. The houses and the street had been torn out by the new river channel. A wall of water thirty feet high struck this section when the levee broke crumbling houses and sweeping them away. Most of the rescued in this district were saved may blocks down stream, taken from floating debris.

A hundred people, supposedly from this section, are marooned on a knoll near Green Lawn cemetery more than a mile south, suffering from cold and hunger.

Josephine Underwood, 11, was found dead today frozen stiff in a tree. Her brother, Albert, 13, was drowned when the Underwood home was swept away. The father and another son are missing, but the mother is said to have been saved with her baby.

The dead body of an unidentified boy, 13 years old, was taken from a home on Mound street and Central avenue.

Mrs. B. F. Tobin and her blind baby were rescued from the attic of their home where the woman had lain on the rafters without food or heat since Tuesday.

Saved in Tub

Two daughters of Mrs. Ada Pfeifer, daughter of Mrs. Tobin, floated away from the house in a tub and were rescued. Their parents were away from home and are safe.

Supt. Gilliam of the state hospital was the first to cross the flooded district to the east side since Tuesday. He drove through at 9 o'clock in a buggy.

A live 16 months old baby was taken from an attic at 946 Princeton avenue. The babe was well dressed and warmly wrapped. A note was found pinned under its clothing on which was written only "Walter Taylor." Nothing is known of what became of its parents.

One of the heroes of the Columbus flood is Albert E. Dutert, a Hocking Valley engineer. He was at Walbridge when he heard of the flood. His wife and four children were trapped in their home. Dutert cut his locomotive loose from his train, sped on to Columbus through water covered tracks, finally was stopped by a washout and waded on, crossing Fifth avenue bridge in water waist deep. It was late Wednesday when he arrived in the city. Then sentries refused to allow him to re-cross the Rich street bridge to the west side. All night he tried in vain. On Thursday he slipped across with a gang of workmen and got a boat and rescued the wife and four children from the upper story of their home where they had been prisoners of the flood sixty hours.

Four Flood Babies

Four flood babies have been born. Twins were born last night in the upper story of a water-surrounded house at 260 Hawkes avenue. One baby was born at West High school, another at Avondale school.

The citizens of Columbus have contributed nearly $100,000 for a relief fund and have given abundantly of clothing, food and supplies.

CHILLICOTHE, O., March 28.—Seventeen are known to be dead and nine bodies have been identified as victims of the Scioto river floods here. The total dead are estimated at fifty. Three-fourths of the city was flooded from Tuesday morning until today, when the waters began to go down rapidly. There is a famine of fuel and food.

$4 A Pair **$4 A Pair**



LA CROSSE **PEBBLE TREAD**

Made up of four-ply fabric.

SINGLE TUBE BICYCLE TIRES

This tire is manufactured by the Pennsylvania Rubber Co., and guaranteed by them.

FRED KRONER HARDWARE CO.

Third Street, Between Main and Pearl.

DAYTON DEAD NOT TO EXCEED 300

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with the situation.

Allaback's estimate is said to have been based upon a boat trip to a part of the submerged section where he saw no floating bodies.

Others say this is no indication of a small loss of life, as the rush of the flood was so swift that many could have been carried miles down the river, while other bodies may be pinned in the wreckage.

Estimates 2,000 Dead

George Burba, secretary to Governor Cox, estimates the loss of life at 2,000. John H. Patterson, head of the relief work, is emphatic in his estimate that 500 have died. It is probable Patterson's figure is more nearly correct.

There were thirteen bodies in the morgue early this morning.

According to W. G. Doty, president of the Doty Manufacturing company, who was rescued from the Beaver Power building at Fourth and St. Clair streets, on the edge of the fire zone, up until Thursday night when he was taken out, only one death had resulted from the fire.

However, Doty's report is at variance with estimates fixed by others who are close witnesses. Some assert the flames took over 200 lives.

Last night after rescue work had been stopped by darknes, the fire which had been considered practically burned out, burst out afresh. This morning it was destroying the plant of the George Bates Brothers plating and manufacturing company. This is directly across St. Clair street from the Beaver building, in which nineteen persons were still marooned.

Hundreds of persons, many of them women, were taken late yesterday from the territory which would be swept if the fire continued in its path. This morning more were taken out and it is believed that the danger of death by fire in this district is over.

Every institution is South Dayton is crowded with refugees and hundreds have been cared for in private homes.

Relief Reaches North Dayton

Although the relief committee says there has been no comunication with North Dayton and Riverdale there is an unsubstantiated report that rescue parties and relief from cities in the northern part of the state has reached them. According to one story a carload of provisions and thirty-two men for relief work arrived on the west side of the river from Detroit. It is in this section, it is believed that the flood has taken its greatest toll of life.

Governor Cox last night declared Dayton under martial law, but he made the military government under Colonel Charles X. Zimmerman, Fifth infantry, subservient to the civil government, which is now administered by the Citizens' Relief committee, headed by John H. Patterson.

A cordon of soldiers is barring the way to hordes of curious visitors from other cities. Only those bringing in supplies are admitted.

The supplies are badly needed. Bread is now the staple most in demand.

Major Thomas J. Logan, government engineer, arrived in Dayton to aid in relief and to study the situation with a view to recommending preventative measures for the future.

WISTER WRECKS TOWN

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., March 28.—Word was received here today of the wiping out of the small town of Lulu, Oregon county, by tornado.

DANCE

GIVEN BY THE

FROHSINN SINGING SOCIETY

—AT—

FROHSINN HALL

CORNER FOURTH AND JAY STREETS

SUNDAY, MARCH 30,

Admission—35c Per Couple, Extra Lady 15c, Gents' Ticket 25c

BAHNERT'S ORCHESTRA

FRIDAY—Cheer Up, Jinks, Tomorrows, Pay Day

By C. A. Voight



The LA CROSSE TRIBUNE GIVES YOUR WANT AD THE LARGEST CIRCULATION IN LA CROSSE AND NEARBY TOWNS

HELP WANTED—MALE

WANTED—For U. S. army, able-bodied unmarried men, between ages of 18 and 35; citizens of United States, or have first papers; of good character and temperate habits, who can speak, read and write the English language; good pay, food, lodging, clothing and medical attendance free. For information apply at Recruiting Station, 226 Main Street, La Crosse, Wis., or 306½ Broadway, Rochester, Minn. 2 3 tf

WANTED—At once, experienced tool makers. Steady work. Apply National Gauge & Register Company. 9 14 tf

WANTED—Foreman for a sash, blind, solid and veneered door factory. A permanent position for the right man. Answer at once with reference. Address "G," care of this paper. 3 22 28

WANTED—Baker at Eide's Bakery, 703 State street. 3 26 28

AGENTS WANTED in every town for a brand new household necessity. Best seller that was ever put out. McCollum Co., Box 206, Madison, Wis. 3 26 4 1

WANTED—Salesmen to sell aluminum churns to farmers; $25.00 weekly and expenses guaranteed to hustlers; some of our men clearing over $100 per week; exclusive county rights given to live salesmen; churns guaranteed to give satisfaction or money refunded. Write today—be first in your county. Address Box 368, Pittsburgh, Pa. 3 27 4 3

WANTED—Representative for an Old Line Insurance company. Good contract. Address R, care of Tribune. 3 28 29

WANTED—Helper as buttermaker on dairy farm. 2032 Old Phone; 2117 New Phone. 3 28 4 4

HELP WANTED—Female

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Hotel Law. 2 26 tf

WANTED—Girl. 314 South 15th. 3 21 tf

WANTED—Girls at the La Crosse Knitting Works, 410 North Second street. 3 24 29

WANTED—Dining room girl at the Union hotel, 427 South Third street. 3 24 tf

YOUNG LADY for office work and clerk. Must have high school education and some knowledge of shorthand. W. T. Irvine, jeweler. 3 25 tf

WANTED—Girl. 821 State. 3 20 tf

WANTED—Two girls at the Corcoran hotel, 207 Pearl street. 3 26 29

WANTED—Chambermaids at the Stoddard hotel. 3 26 28

WANTED—Girls at the Doering hotel. 3 26 4 3

LADY COMPOSITOR WANTED—Nonpareil-Journal, West Salem, Wis. 3 26 28

WANTED—Girl at Henry and Frank's, 118 North Third. 3 27 tf

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Permanent position. Will pay $5.00 per week. 303 North Twelfth street. New phone 741-A. 3 27 29

WANTED—Girls to operate sewing machines. Steady employment. La Crosse Clothing Co. 3 15 tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Call from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., 718 Main. 2 26 tf

FOR SALE—160 acres good farm land in Ward county, N. D., cheap if taken before April 10. Address E. J., 817 South 11th street. 3 28 4 10

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, fully equipped, first class condition; used one season. Address Motor, care of Tribune. 3 3 tf

MR. HOME HUNTER—Do you want a good home in the best location in the city, near high and normal schools, at a reasonable price? Eight large rooms and bath, barn, pump, furnace, gas, water heater, cement walks, sewer and macadam all in. Price $4,000. Terms. Address L. B. 243, Onalaska, Wis. 3 22 4 2

FOR SALE—Set Balzac and Stevenson's works and Chamber's Encyclopedia, nearly new. 603 Ferry street. 3 27 29

LOOK HERE

For sale, the best private rooming house in the city. 16 rooms, strictly modern, hot water heat; can be run full capacity the year round. Price $4,000.

SALTZ

Real Estate and Insurance

813 Caledonia St. Both Phones

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, 75c per 15; $4.00 per 100. Wisconsin Standard seed corn. Van Loon, La Crosse. 3 22 tf

FOR SALE—A good lot at a real bargain, near Fifteenth, on Farnam. Inquire 1308 South Fifteenth. 3 24 31

FOR SALE—Bull terrier pups from prize stock, at 111 North Third street. 3 27 29

FOR SALE—House cheap if taken at once; owner leaving city. 1211 South Eleventh. 3 20 4 1

FOR SALE—A desirable lot on Main street. Can be bought cheap if taken at once. Inquire of WM. C. SCHLAEFER, care of Tribune or 494-C new phone.

FOR SALE—3 H. P. boiler, shaft and pulleys. 2135 Market. New phone 480-M. 3 20 tf

FOR SALE—Strictly modern nine room house. Best location in city. Address "H," care of Tribune. 3 21 30

FOR SALE—Six room house, full lot and barn. 1230 Denton street. 3 12 tf

FOR SALE—Well built barn. Can easily be made into fine house. Inquire 1136-A new phone. 3 26 tf

FOR SALE—Two small cottages in good repair. New phone 802-C. 3 27 29

CONSULT your own interests and write for official facts (not land fiction). Changing location is a serious matter. We will give you U. S. census facts and show you how you can verify them. Write today. (No land to sell.) Wisconsin Advancement Association, 340 Caswell Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis. 3 28 29

FOR SALE—Confectionery store, fine fountain and fixtures. Good location. Price and terms reasonable. Address N. N., Tribune. 3 26 31

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs for hatching. 621 South 16th. 3 18 31

TWO SNAPS

Modern house and cottage, lot 50x150. N. E. corner Charles and St. Paul streets. Rents $17.50 per month. Price $2,000 if taken at once.

Fine 8 room house with big fine lots, good shade trees, in Indian Hill. In first class condition. — Price $2,100 if taken at once.

H. L. Taylor

Room 1 Bat. Bk. Bldg.

New Phone 523-A

FOR SALE—A modern two story pebble-dashed house. Inquire 1303 South Thirteenth street, or 1229-M new phone. 3 20 tf

FOR SALE—New seven room house, 1503 West avenue south. Inquire 1516 West Ave. south. 3 29 tf

FOR SALE—Road wagon. 1403 Johnson. 3 28 4 4

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms. 1009 State. 3 24 tf

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms, modern conveniences, at 149 South Sixth. 3 22 tf

FOR RENT—House at 1130 South Fourth. 3 24 29

FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping. 331 North Seventh street. 3 24 28

FOR -RENT—Three modern furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 130 South Tenth. 3 27 tf

FOR RENT—Modern six room brick house, rear 1116 Main street. Inquire H. L. Taylor, Room 1 Batavian bank building. 3 26 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms at 122 North Third street. 3 21 4 20

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms. 617 Cass. 3 20 tf

FOR SALE—Five room cottage on full lot. 1459 Redfield street. 2 22 3 30

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. 320 South Eighth. 3 25 tf

FOR RENT—Five rooms downstairs. 811 Johnson street. 3 13 tf

FOR RENT—Three office rooms over Bijou theater. City heat, electric light. Apply Manager of Bijou.

FOR RENT—Two separate stalls rear of Fay Lewis Cigar Store, one with concrete floor, suitable for automobile and horse. Holway Estate, new phone 194-C. 3 20 tf

FOR RENT—Rooms, partly modern. 1214 South Ninth. 3 27 tf

FOR RENT—After April 1, part of double house, modern, city heat. 215 North Seventh. 3 21 tf

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 308 North Seventh. 3 27 29

FOR RENT—One large front room downstairs, suitable for two. 130 South Tenth. 3 27 tf

MISCELLANEOUS

FLOOR SPACE WANTED—Party wants floor space, one side of small store, with privilege of using one display window. Also a small store 12x30 or thereabouts. Address Merchant, care of Tribune. 3 28 29

WANTED TO RENT—Three or four unfurnished modern rooms for light housekeeping. New phone 1079-C. 3 28 31

WANTED TO RENT—Small farm. Address 1301 State St. 3 28 4 2

TRY QUINN'S New Restaurant, 122 North Third street. Regular dinner 20c. 3 21 4 20

WANTED TO EXCHANGE—Choice farm land for five or six room house. Address Land, care of Tribune. 3 22 28

FOR CAREFUL HANDLING of furniture and general draying call old phone 5301; new 576 Black. 3 11 4 10

YOUNG COUPLE without children desire two or three rooms, ground floor, furnished, for housekeeping. Must be clean and reasonable. State price and location. Permanent if desirable. Address E. M. H., care of Tribune. 3 26 28

WANTED—Washing to take home. New phone 1026-M. 3 25 31

CURTAINS DONE UP—New phone 619-C. 3 25 4 1

WANTED TO BUY—Row boat in good condition. Address J. F. S., care Tribune. 3 24 tf

WANTED—Ashes and other clean filling at 322 South Twentieth street. New phone 1137-M. 2 17 tf

WOOD SAWING done by J. J. Kabat, 957 Hood street. New phone 1422-M, old 4651. 12 7 tf

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

MILLER BROS., undertakers and embalmers, 320 Main Phones 286. Open day and night.

FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION loans on real estate. $10 a month pays $1,000 loan in 149 months.

MONEY LOANED on furniture; no publicity. J. W. Smith, 311 Pearl 5 22 tf

LOST

LOST—A $20 bill between Charles and Caledonia and 1653 Charles. Reward if returned to that address. 3 28 31

LOST—Gold mounted amethyst rosary beads. Full name and date on cross. Finder please call old phone 62. 3 26 tf

Cut Rate Shipping

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points. Superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

MONEY TO LOAN on furniture, pianos and diamonds. La Crosse Loan Co., 320 Main street, upstairs. 9 9 tf

Public Stenography

Norma Mueller, stenographer, notary. Bat. Bank Bldg. Phone 523-A.

DAILY MARKETS

Wholesale Fruit
(Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Bananas, per bunch	$2.00
Lemons, Cal., per box	$8.00
Lemons, Messinas, 300 size, box	6.50
Sweet potatoes, bushel	2.00
Celery, per bunch	.75
Cranberries, Cape Cod, bbl.	$7.00
Cranberries, Wis., bbl.	$6.00
Oysters, Standards, per gal.	1.30
Oysters, Selects, per gal.	1.60
Potatoes, Irish, per bu.	35c
Onions, per bu.	60c
Cabbage, per bbl.	1.50
Naval oranges, 150-176-200-216 box	3.75
Oranges, Florida, box	3.75
Grape fruit, 36-40 box	3.50
Grape fruit, 54-64-80 box	3.75
Western Apples—	
Fancy Jonathans, box	1.50
Wagners, box	1.50
Wine Saps, box	1.50
Switzenburgs, box	1.50
Rome Beauty, box	1.60
Ben Davis, box	1.10
Russets, fancy	3.25
Kings, fancy	3.50
Ben Davis	3.50
Willow Twigs	3.75
Genitous Wine Saps	3.50

Livestock
(By Langdon & Boyd Packing Co.)

Hogs	$8.00 to $8.30
Steers	$3.00 to $6.00
Cows	$2.50 to $5.00
Heifers	$3.00 to $5.50
Spring lambs	$6.00 to $6.50
Sheep	$4.00 to $4.50

Poultry

Chickens	12 to 13c
Spring chickens	12 to 13c
Turkeys	14c
Ducks	11c
Geese, pound	10c

Provisions

Lard, per pound	13 to 13¼c
Shoulders, per pound	13c
Hams, per pound	15½ to 16c
Bacon, per pound	16 to 20c
Dried beef, per pound	20 to 24c

Dressed Hogs
(Quoted by People's Market.)

Dressed hogs	$10.50

Butter and Eggs
(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound	35 to 36c
Dairy butter, pound	30c
Eggs, fresh, dozen	18c
Eggs, seconds, dozen	16c

Grain
(Quoted by Thomas-Phalon Co.)

Barley	45 to 55c
Corn	40 to 48c
Oats	30 to 32c
Wheat	75 to 85c
Rye	45 to 51c

Flour and Feed
(Quoted by Listman Milling Co.)

Patent, per barrel	$4.90
Straight, per barrel	$4.70

Mill Feed

Bran, per ton	$23.00
Shorts, per ton	$24.00
White middlings, per ton	$30.00
Red Dog	$31.00

Cheese
(Quoted by Hy. Anderegg)

Fancy full cream brick in case	17c
Fancy full cream brick in half-cases	17c
Fancy full cream twins	17c
Fancy full cream Daisy's	18c
Fancy full cream limburger	18 to 20c
Fancy full cream Swiss, block	20c
German hand cheese, per box	90c
Fancy full cream Swiss, round	22c

Good Advice.

A certain English actor had a fondness for wearing jewelry, particularly a handsome diamond ring, which he wore in every part he played. One evening, during a play in which he took the part of a starving man, he raised his hands to his forehead and wailed out: "I am starving, starving! I must have food! How can I get money? How can I get money?"

A merciless voice came from the gallery, "Pawn yer ring, Charlie!"—London Tit-Bits.

FOREIGN MARKETS

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, March 28—The stock market opened strong and active. The stock market closed firm.

Chicago Livestock

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 28.—Hogs — Receipts 20,000; market weak; mixed and butchers $8.90 to $9.25; good heavy $8.80 to $9.22; rough heavy $8.65 to $8.80; light $8.95 to $9.30; pigs $7.00 to $9.10.

Cattle — Receipts 1,500; market weak; beeves 7.00 to $9.10; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.10; stockers and feeders $6.10 to $8.25; Texans $6.60 to $7.70; calves $6.50 to $9.60.

Sheep — Receipts 7,000; market strong; ative $5.75 to $6.60; western $5.90 to $6.60; lambs $6.85 to $8.65; western $7.20 to $8.65.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, March 28.—Butter—Extras 35½c; firsts 31 to 32c; dairy extras 27 to 28c; firsts 25c.

Eggs—Prime firsts 17c; ordinary 17¼ to 17½c.

Cheese — Twins 13¼ to 13½c; Young Americas 13¾ to 14c.

Potatoes—40 to 48c.

Live Poultry—Fowls 18 to 18½c; ducks 18 to 19c; geese 14 to 15c; spring chicks 18 to 19c; turkeys 16 to 17c.

Barley and Flax

Minneapolis barley, 39 to 56c.
Minneapolis flax, $1.24 to 1.24½.
Chicago barley, 46 td 68c.
Duluth flax, $1.26.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, March 28.—Wheat—No. 2 red $1.01½ to $1.07½c; No. 3 red 95 to 98c; No. 2 hard 89 to 92c; No. 3 hard 87 to 90½c; No. 3 spring 85 to 87½c.

Corn—No. 2 yellow 53 to 53½c; No. 3, 50¼ to 51¼c; No. 3 white 52 to 53c; No. 3 yellow 51 to 52c; No. 4, 49 to 50½c; No. 4 yellow 49 to 50c.

Oats—No. 3 white 32¼ to 33c; No. 4 white 30 to 32c; standard 34½ to 35½c.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, March 28.—Wheat rallied today on firmer foreign cables and covering by shorts. Another bullish factor was the fear that acreage might be reduced by the floods. Both May and July advanced ½c each during the morning, May reaching 90¼ at noon.

Corn firmed today, traders on the buying side feeling more confident. Foreign cables quoted corn at unchanged. May and July at noon will reach ¼c over the opening.

Offerings from large commission houses and considerable buying made the trade in oats fairly lively and the prices ranged from ⅛ to ⅜c higher.

Provisions were unsettled with a narrow range. May pork recorded the greatest advance during the morning session.

The entire list of grains were easier in the afternoon. Buying pressure was removed from wheat and corn and declines of from ⅛ to ⅜c followed. May wheat closed ⅛c up on the day's opening. May pork was strong in the afternoon. The rest of the provision list was steady.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	89¾	90⅝	89⅝	89⅞
July	89⅜	89⅝	89⅛	89¼
CORN—				
May	53⅛	54⅝	52¾	52⅞
July	54⅜	54¼	53⅜	54¼
OATS—				
May	33½	34	33¼	33¼
July	33½	33⅞	33⅜	33½
PORK—				
May	20.60	20.75	20.50	20.50
July	20.35	20.42	20.30	20.30
LARD—				
May	11.12	11.17	11.10	11.10
July	10.92	10.97	10.90	10.95
RIBS—				
May	11.35	10.35	11.20	11.20
July	10.85	10.92	10.85	10.85

Milwaukee Grain Market
(E. G. Hadden Co., Room 411 McMillan Building.)

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
WHEAT—				
May	89⅝	90¼	89⅝	90
July	89¼	89⅝	89⅛	89⅜
CORN—				
May	53⅛	53⅜	53	53
July	54½	54⅝	54¼	54¼
OATS—				
May	33⅝	34	33½	33¾

A RECIPE FOR SUCCESS.

Keep your head cool, your feet warm, your mind busy. Don't worry over trifles. Plan your work ahead, then stick to it, rain or shine. Don't waste sympathy on yourself. If you are a gem some one will find you. Don't whine. Tell people you are a failure and they will believe you. Talk and act like a winner and in time you will become one.—Red Man.

Grains and Prov., Puts and Calls.
E. G. HADDEN CO.
Members Milwaukee Chamber of Commerce.
La Crosse Office,
417 McMillan Building
N. E. WHEATON, Manager.
Telephones: Old 345; New 982.

Comparitive Markets

These Quotations Show the General Trend of Prices for the Previous Week

LIVESTOCK YESTERDAY

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 27.—Hogs — Receipts 19,000; market steady; mixed and butchers $9.00 to $9.37½; good heavy $8.95 to $9.35; rough heavy $8.80 to $8.95; light $9.10 to $9.40; pigs $7.15 to $9.20.

Cattle — Receipts 4,000; market strong; beeves $7.00 to $9.10; cows and heifers $3.75 to $8.10; stockers and feeders $6.10 to $8.20; Texans $6.60 to $7.70; calves $6.50 to $9.60.

Sheep — Receipts 8,000; market steady; native $5.75 to $6.60; western $5.90 to $6.60; lambs $6.75 to $8.50; western $7.00 to $8.50.

Chicago Livestock

LIVESTOCK A WEEK AGO

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., March 20.—Hogs — Receipts 28,000; market slow; mixed and butchers $8.60 to $9.00; good heavy $8.50 to $8.95; rough heavy $8.35 to $8.50; light $8.70 to $9.05; pigs $6.80 to $8.85.

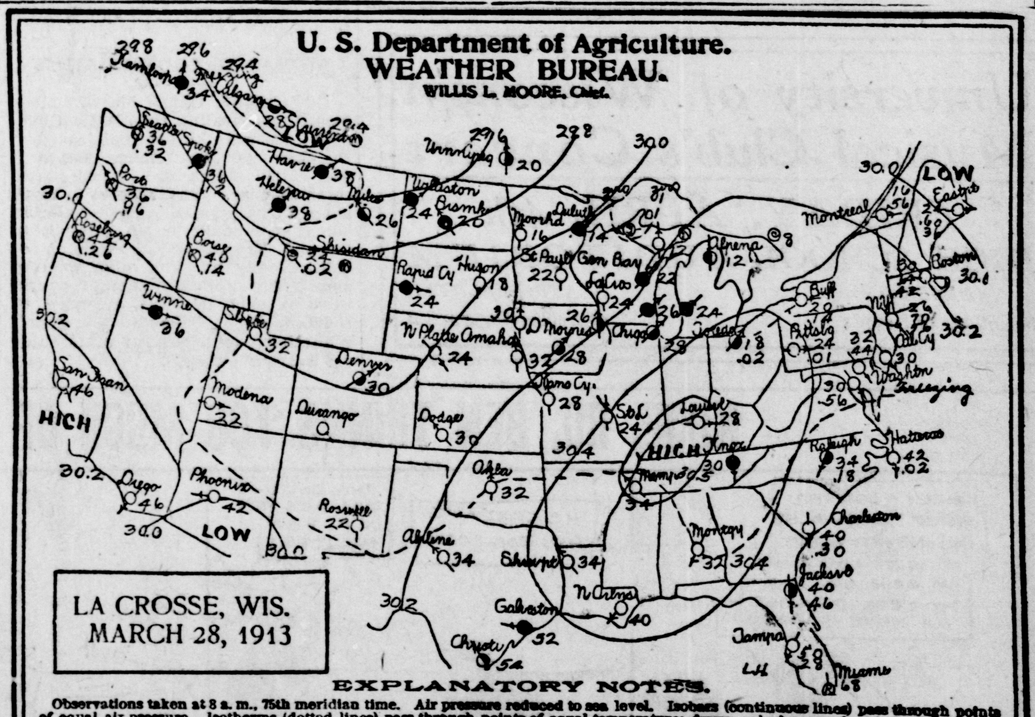
Cattle — Receipts 4,500; market slow; beeves $7.10 to $9.20; cows and heifers $3.50 to $8.00; stockers and feeders $6.00 to $8.20; Texans $6.50 to $7.60; calves $7.00 to $11.25.

Sheep — Receipts 14,000; market steady; native $6.15 to $7.00; western $6.40 to $7.10; lambs $7.85 to $8.85; western $7.85 to $8.90.

Grain	Yesterday.	Week Ago.
WHEAT—		
May	89¼	90¼
July	88⅞	89¼
CORN—		
May	53⅛	53⅛
July	54¼	54⅜
OATS—		
May	33⅛	33⅜
July	33⅜	33½

The time to give a man taffy is before it's time to give him his epitaphy.

Weather Forecast and Weather Conditions



	(LO)	(HI)	(P)
Atlantic City	30	60	0
Boston	30	66	.64
Charleston	40	70	.30
New York	26	64	.70
Washington	30	70	.56
Galveston	52	56	0
Jacksonville	40	74	.46
New Orleans	40	54	0

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)
Chicago	28	32	0
La Crosse	24	32	0
Madison	22	30	0
Memphis	34	38	0
Milwaukee	26	32	0
Bismarck	20	36	0
Huron	18	36	0
Kansas City	28	38	0

	(LO)	(HI)	(P)
St. Paul	22	26	0
Boise	40	50	.14
Denver	30	50	0
Helena	38	46	0
Miles City	26	42	0
Portland, Ore.	36	50	.96
Spokane	36	44	.12
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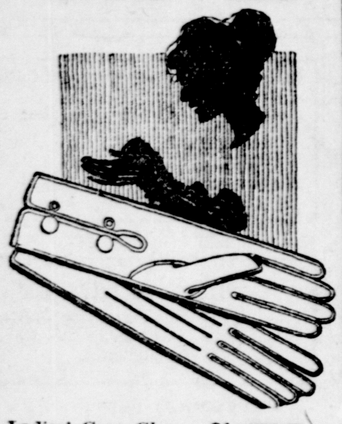
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We are showing the latest novelties and newest ideas in our Art Dept. The new Glossilla braid work Pillows and Runners, also a big line of package goods, in fact everything new in novelties is to be had here.

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Ladies Glace Gloves, two clasp, white, black and colors, $1.25 values, at pair .. **89c**

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TO CORRECT ANY INCOME ERRORS

Amend Law so that Over-Assessments Can Be Subtracted from Next Year

(From Tribune Madison Bureau)

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—The income tax law has been amended by a bill which has just passed the legislature so that errors in the income assessment of 1912 may be corrected in the assessment for 1913. Any who, by error in their returns, paid a larger tax than they should have paid, may have the amount subtracted from their assessment for this year.

The law is amended further so that any errors in future returns or assessments may be corrected in the same manner as are assessments of personal property.

Much uneasiness has been felt over the state in regard to errors that crept into the last income tax statements and assessments. Those who made errors in their returns invariably appealed to the tax commission for relief as soon as the mistake was apprehended. The tax commission for relief as soon as the mistake to act in the matter, as no provision had been made in the law for altering the statements. The new law provides an adequate remedy for all who feel aggrieved towards the first assessment or any subsequent assessment.

The main portion of the bill provides the machinery for making corrections in returns and assessments of incomes in the same manner as corrections are made in personal property assessments, except that no town or village board, common council or county officers can make any alteration in the income tax assessment without the written approval of the assessor of incomes. This provision grants more immediate relief.

Tax experts have long since agreed that the income tax system was the most just system of taxation. Income tax measures have failed in many states owing to the lack of adequate administrative machinery. It is generally conceded that the Wisconsin law comes nearer the acme of perfection than any law heretofore enacted. With the gradual smoothing out of rough spots the income tax is becoming popular with all classes.

GIRLS RIVAL SOLDIERS

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Circus stunts on horseback by eight daring society girls was the entertainment prepared this afternoon for President Wilson and his cabinet members at Fort Myer. A drill by the crack cavalrymen was also on the program for the president's first visit to the fort.

Among the fair riders who promised to perform today were Mrs. Richard C. Burleson, grand marshal of the recent suffragette parade; Miss Janet Allen; Miss St. C. Groble; Miss Emily Beatty; Miss Ruth Anderson; Miss Hitchcock, and Miss Helen Buchanan. Miss Allen promised some "thrillers" for the official guests and has been rehearsing a new bareback novelty.

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CINCINNATI MAYOR CALLS FOR HELP

CINCINNATI, Ohio, March 28.—Mayor Hunt issued the following proclamation Thursday afternoon and asked the United Press to convey it to all the cities in the land:

"To the People of the United States:

"Cincinnati is exhausting herself in attempting to feed 70,000 starving people of the Miami valley. We must have financial and material assistance. Every city should appoint a relief committee to raise money and purchase supplies and forward both to us. Five hundred thousand dollars would not be enough to care for the situation. I will be responsible for the proper distribution of supplies and expenditure of money. This city is doing its utmost and the need is greater than it can supply. Let every generous American aid us as we would aid him if he were in our condition.

"HENRY T. HUNT, Mayor."

CAVALIER TO WED

DETROIT, Mich., March 28.—Just a day distant—and not one local worshiper at the shrine of music has received a bid to Mme. Lina Cavaleri's wedding. That gala event, made luminous by the prima donna's former marriage to "Bob" Chanler, has been announced to take place tomorrow during the visit of the diva's concert company here. Oh, yes, the bridegroom-elect! He is a tenor singer and his name is Lucion Muratoro, sweet of voice and French by birth.

LUMBERJACK SETS STATE GORGE MARK

MARINETTE, Wis., March 28.—"Yes, that was a fairly good meal, but the cook should have had more beans and eggs," said Joseph Brumer Thursday night after consuming a gourmand's repast which is believed to set a record in the state for big feeding.

Here is what Brumer consumed at the restaurant of J. J. Martin: Two dozen fried eggs, four bowls of cabbage soup, two plates of baked beans, eight slices of bread, one 20c can of tomatoes, four cups of coffee, two plates of potatoes, four "schooners" of beer.

Brumer explained that he had just "come out of the woods" where he had existed on "camp chuck" all winter.

MOOSERS MEET

ALBANY, N. Y., March 28.—The plans and theories of Colonel Theodore Roosevelt held the center of the stage here today at the conference of progressive leaders of New York state, called to map out a campaign and a policy for coming New York state and municipal fights. The colonel had a message of caution for party leaders, warning against fusion with the republican party in the New York mayoralty campaign. Individual progressives expressed the view that unofficial indorsement of a citizens' ticket would leave the party as a whole free from entanglements.

WISCONSIN CITIES WANT SECRETARIES

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—Citizens of Oshkosh, Sheboygan, Grand Rapids and Ashland want civic secretaries and have appointed committees to consider the question of securing them. The bureau of social center development of the University of Wisconsin extension division has been asked to advise regarding the engagement of the civic directors, if the committees report favorably.

In each of the cities it is proposed to have the new secretary act as associate to the superintendent of schools, and be in charge of the wider use of school property for neighborhood club meetings, lectures, etc. Neighborhood civic clubs will be organized and recreational activities for young people directed by the secretaries. They will also be responsible for sane Fourth of July celebrations and all other festival activities in the town.

URGE A CHANGE IN CONSTITUTION

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—(Special.)—A constitutional convention to revise the state constitution is favored by the assembly judiciary committee. It has unanimously reported the joint resolution offered by Assemblyman Rosa of Rock county to submit the question of calling a convention to the voters at the November election in 1914.

TO CLEAN UP CITY

NEW YORK, March 28.—Backyards and stables, out-of-the-way nooks in parks, areas, basements and attics will have to yield up all their secrets before prying eyes of inspectors, if the plan for a general spring house-cleaning in New York is carried out according to the plans made public today by the board of aldermen, calling for an expenditure of about $27,000.

SPOTS ARE CAUSED BY POOR BLUEING

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—That tiny rust spots which sometimes appear in table and bed linen and other white goods after they have been washed, can often be traced to the bluing, is pointed out by Miss Annabel Turner of the home economics department of the University of Wisconsin of Wisconsin.

Much of the bluing on the market at the present time is an iron compound which when decomposed by the alkali in the soap forms iron rust spots. The presence of iron in bluing can be determined by adding a small quantity of household ammonia to an equal amount of strong bluing solution. A yellow deposit which forms after the solution has stood for from one-half to three-quarters of an hour, indicates the presence of iron in the bluing. A tablespoonful and a half of commercial acetic acid in two gallons of water for rinsing neutralizes any alkali that may remain in the clothes from the soap, and thus prevents the formation of iron rust.

WOMAN SECOND CHADWICK

COLUMBUS, Ohio, March 28.—Sensations rivaling the Cassie Chadwick case were hinted at today when the case of Mrs. Emma Bothwell was called before the United States commissioner. The specific charge against the woman was the alleged use of the mails in an attempt to defraud Erward H. Fredericton of South Bend, Ind., and other wealthy men. The woman's field of operations is said to have extended to Indianapolis, Detroit, Cleveland, Wilkesbarre and several other middle-western cities.

CHURCHES UNITE IN SOCIAL CENTER

PARK FALLS, Wis., March 28.—Churches of all denominations closed their doors here one night recently so that every citizen might attend a mass meeting called for the establishment of a town club for the promotion of civic and socoial betterment. E. J. Ward of the University of Wisconsin extension division addressed the meeting and acted as adviser in the formation of the new club.

The first work that the new organization proposes to undertake is to get the town to provide funds for the erection of a new high school building with an adequate gymnasium and other rooms suitable for holding meetings, so that the whole community can make use of the school as a civic center, when it is not in use for school purposes.

C. B. Hulten, superintendent of schools, has been elected civic secretary of Park Falls by the new club.

URGE STOCK LAW CHANGE

MADISON, Wis., March 28.—That Wisconsin should change its stock and bond law so as to permit the issue of stock without par or monetary value was the contentoin of E. S. Mack and Alvin F. Kletsch, both of Milwaukee. They claimed that it was practically impossible to dispose of the bonds to large investment companies in the east without a bonus, and that such a law would not be detrimental to the public but would aid in the sale and development of public utilities in the state.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO COUNTY COURT.

State of Wisconsin, County Court La Crosse County, ss.—In Probate.

Notice is hereby given that at a special term of the County Court, to be held in and for said County, at the Court House, in the City of La Crosse, in said County, on the second Tuesday, being the 8th day of April, A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock A. M., the following matter will be heard and considered:

The application of William Sherwood for the appointment of an administrator of the estate of Robert B. Fulton, late of the City of La Crosse, in said County of La Crosse, deceased.

Dated March 15, 1913.

By order of the Court,
JOHN BRINDLEY,
County Judge.

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